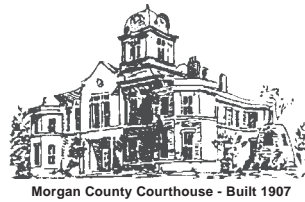


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Photo By Lee Armstrong

Pictured above are 2009 Sorghum Queen candidates Monika McCowan, Ashley Buckler, Maci Motley, Whitney Lewis, Tessa Henry and Jackie Gregory.

## MCHS announces the 2009 Sorghum Queen candidates

Morgan County High School recently announced that Monika McCowan, Ashley Buckler, Maci Motley, Whitney Lewis, Tessa Henry and Jackie Gregory have been selected as this year's Sorghum Queen candidates by their peers in the MCHS junior class.

The winner, who will be selected by the entire MCHS student body, will be presented during Sorghum Bowl halftime tomorrow night. MCHS will play Leslie County High School 7 p.m. at Herdman Field.

• Monika McCowan is the daughter of Judd and Leann McCowan, of West Liberty. She

plans to attend the University of Kentucky and major in pharmacy.

• Ashley Buckler is the daughter of Roy and Tammy Buckler, of West Liberty. She plans to graduate with honors in 2011 and attend the University of Kentucky to major in engineering.

• Maci T. Motley is the daughter of Bobby and Denise Motley, of Hazel Green. She plans to attend a four-year college after graduation.

• Whitney L. Lewis is the daughter of Glenn and Carolyn Lewis, of West Liberty. She plans to attend Morehead State

University after graduation, and pursue a career in respiratory therapy.

• Tessa Henry is the daughter of Brent and Dana Henry, of Grassy Creek. She plans to attend college and hopes to become a physical therapist.

• Jackie Gregory is the daughter of Jackie Gregory and Sandra McGuire, of Ezel. She plans to attend a four-year college and pursue a degree in the medical field.

Congratulations, ladies! May your election as 2009 Sorghum Queen be one of many Sorghum Festival memories you treasure for years to come.

## Sorghum Festival brings memories

By Linda Oakley

I have been thinking about all the memories I have of the Sorghum Festival. I cannot remember exactly what year was the first that I attended, but we came every year after. We maybe missed one or two. We lived in Ohio, and would come to the festival and see people from Ohio. We would not see them all year, even though we lived to close to each other, but the festival drew us all together.

That may be the best legacy that the festival offers. It has kept family and old friends tied to the roots they sprang from. The place that helped provide northern factories with manpower years ago brings them and their descendants back now. The common ground of shared heritage transcends political differences, age and whatever else divides people.

At the festival, I have bought things for my house, toys for my kids, Christmas and birthday presents and CDs to play in my car. I have probably sampled the offerings of every food booth over the last 30 years. I have watched countless parades and walked — no telling how many miles — round and round under the big tent. I have had many wonderful Sorghum Festival memories, and I do not recall a bad one. It has always been a place for fun and enjoyment for me and my family.

I guess if I could pick one memory that warms my heart, it would be the year when my daughter was about eight, and my son was 11. There was a booth that had beautiful dolls. Oh, my little girl fell in love with those dolls! We must have gone back to that booth 10 or 15 times. I always allotted some money for the kids to spend, but those dolls were out of my budget that year. She was just aching for one, but it was not to be.

Sunday afternoon, we arrived and we went uptown for a last turn around the tent before starting home. My son had his own money he had earned, but had not spent it yet. He wanted a last look before making his purchase.

Cyndi also wanted one last, longing visit to the doll booth.

It came time to go, and she was near tears, but we headed for the car to go home. Dale still had not bought anything, but he told us to go ahead; he would make his purchase and catch up with us.

We were ready to pull out when Dale came running with a brown bag in his hand. He jumped in the back seat beside his sister.

"Look what I got, Cyndi!" Dale said.

Well, Cyndi was holding back tears and really did not want to see his treasure, but she took the bag anyway.

"Open it," Dale said.

She did and the tears burst forth. Inside the bag was the smallest doll that the booth had to offer. Just the doll with no clothes, because the doll itself took every last penny of his money.

Dale was beaming, Cyndi was crying, I was blubbing and my husband was blinking hard. Cyndi still has that little doll today.

Stop by the souvenir booth and pick up a copy of the CD that is available. It is over an hour of Sorghum Festival memories that you will enjoy. Our family has made a lot of memories over the years, and I know yours has too. My house will be full, and I can't wait. There are grandbabies involved this year, and no telling kind of tales I will have to tell after this weekend. I know they will have fun down at Old Mill Park because it will be filled with a whole bunch of kid activities. It is gonna be a good one, folks! Go out and make some memories.

An after note: If you have seen the television commercials advertising the festival, there is a pretty lady at the end who says, "Y'all come!" that is the little girl who got the doll. If you want to see the boy who bought it for her, he will be singing at the festival with his band, Sunday Drive, 8 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 26, on Main Street.

## The latch string's out this weekend for 39th annual Morgan Co. Sorghum Fest

Event will revolve around sorghum makin' and sales

Food sales, arts, crafts  
1861 Civil War battle of reenacted Sat. and Sun.

By Miranda Cantrell James

The latch string will be out here as local residents and visitors gather in West Liberty tomorrow, Sept. 25, through Sunday, Sept. 27, for the 39th Annual Morgan County Sorghum Festival.

This year's event includes a wide variety of musical acts, including local gospel, bluegrass, folk, country, oldies and rock entertainers at Old Mill Park and on Main Street. There will also many other activities, including craft and food booths, a cane mill, grist mill, blacksmith and kiddie train rides at Old Mill Park.

A complete listing of Old Mill Park performers has been added to this week's Sorghum Festival schedules.

Re-enactors from Morehead's Sons of Confederate Veterans 5th Kentucky Infantry Camp #2122 will host a full Civil War battle re-enactment, ladies tea, grand ball and church service during the festival Sept. 26-27, at the youth soccer field. Proper period clothing is required for the grand ball.

The Battle of West Liberty, which re-enactors will portray, was fought on Oct. 23, 1861.

### FESTIVAL EVENTS

A full schedule of all festival events is as follows:

#### Friday, Sept. 25

9 a.m.-8 p.m. — Under the big top. (Includes arts, crafts, souvenirs, craft demonstrations, quilting, pottery and broom making on Main Street, as well as the Country Store, sorghum sales and food booths.)

10 a.m.-4 p.m. — Morgan County Historical and Genealogy Resource Center and WPA jail museum is open.

10 a.m.-11 p.m. — Music in Commercial Bank parking lot.  
7 p.m. — Sorghum Bowl and crowning of Sorghum Queen at Herdman Field.

All day — Townsend's sorghum mill, grist mill, kid blowup play stations (Shriners), Shriner train rides for kids at Old Mill Park.

#### Saturday, Sept. 26

9 a.m.-8 p.m. — Same as Friday, with music at Old Mill Park.  
10-11 a.m. — Music in Commercial Bank parking lot and talent showdown.

1 p.m. — Parade, themed "Sorghum Festival Memories."

#### Sunday, Sept. 27

10 a.m.-5 p.m. — Arts, crafts, food booths, sorghum, souvenirs and much more, plus Old Mill Park activities, gospel music and church on Main Street.

### MAIN STREET MUSIC LINEUP

The following is a full music lineup including dates and times



Civil War reenactors from Morehead's Sons of Confederate Veterans 5th Kentucky Infantry Camp #2122 will reenact the Battle of West Liberty Saturday-Sunday, Sept. 26-27, at the youth soccer field. This photo by Lynn Nickell was made at the SCV encampment at last year's Sorghum Festival.

for all performers:

#### Friday, Sept. 25

9:30-11 a.m. — Play DVD of past festivals.

9-10 a.m. — Two For One.

10-11 a.m. — Morgan County Middle School Band.

11 a.m.-12:30 p.m. — McCoy Grass (gospel).

12:30-2 p.m. — Cameron (country).

2-3 p.m. — Heavenly Bound (gospel).

3-4 p.m. — McCoy Grass (bluegrass).

4-7:30 p.m. — Line dancing, open mic, talent and kids' fest.

7:30-8:30 p.m. — Bob Johnson (as Hank Williams).

8:30-10 p.m. — Eddie Crow & The Ravens (50s, 60s and 70s music).

10-10:45 p.m. — Michael Ball (country).

10:45-11:30 p.m. — Final Wake (rock).

#### Saturday, Sept. 26

9:30-11 a.m. — Play DVD of past festivals.

11 a.m.-12 p.m. — Cameron (country).

12-1 p.m. — Richard Jett's Appalachian Troubadours.

1-3 p.m. — Play CD/parade time.

3-3:30 p.m. — Linda Branson Cloggers.

3:30-4:15 p.m. — Jesse Wells (folk music).

4:15-4:45 p.m. — Daniel

## NOTICE

Lynn Nickell will not be in his usual booth at the Sorghum Festival this year, due to the illness of his wife, Leatha Nell. His latest book, *Morgan County, Kentucky: Picture Album 4*, was at the printer's when his wife became ill. Family members will be in the booth in his stead.

Nickell says this will be his last book. There will be 100 books available for the festival, and each will be autographed and dated.

This year's book is dedicated to the late Helen Price Stacy. As Nickell states in the dedication, "Helen wrote what Claude Wells put on film."

Frederick.

4:45-5 p.m. — Award presentations for lawns/businesses.

5-6 p.m. — Korey Blake Rose.

6-6:45 p.m. — Taylor Dye (country).

6:45-7:45 p.m. — Mike Havens & Blue Mountain Grass (bluegrass).

7:45-8:45 p.m. — Dale Oakley & Sunday Drive (country).

8:45-9 p.m. — Free time.

9-10:30 p.m. — Final Drive (country).

10:30-11:30 p.m. — Stitch River (rock).

#### Sunday, Sept. 27

The Sorghum Festival will present several gospel ministries in the Commercial Bank square 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 27, with a full church service to kick off the day. The following groups are scheduled to appear:

Grace Baptist Church, Creative Ministries (sign teams, puppets, clowns, etc.), New Hope Baptist Church, First Baptist Church Frogs, Index Community Church, Zag Community Church, Kidz of the Lord (Ezel), Lacy Creek Church of Christ and Assembly of Faith.

### OLD MILL PARK MUSIC LINEUP

The following is a full music lineup including dates and times for all performers:

#### Saturday, Sept. 26

12 p.m. — M. Michaels (one man show).

2 p.m. — Cecil Butcher & Big Sandy Mountain Boys.

3 p.m. — Roland Dunn & East Ky. Mtn. Boys.

4 p.m. — Moron Brothers (Burley & Lardo).

5 p.m. — Darrell Winkelman & Mtn. Echoes.

Short break.

5:30 p.m. — Orby Hunley & Pine Mtn. Grass.

6:30 p.m. — Cecil Butcher & Big Sandy Mtn. Boys.

7:30 p.m. — Moron Brothers (Burley & Lardo).

8:30 p.m. — Darrell Winkelman & Mtn. Echoes.

#### Sunday, Sept. 27

12 p.m. — Orby Hunley & Pine

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### Unusual potatoes

Hershell Dean Adkins, of Steele Branch Road, grew these unusual potatoes in his garden this season. Mr. Adkins had several more odd shaped potatoes in his patch. He thought the odd shapes might have been due to the soil being packed by the excess rain we have had this year.



The Moron Brothers (Lardo and Burley) will headline the entertainment at Old Mill Park on Saturday of the annual Morgan County Sorghum Festival. They are widely known for their humorous songs. Lardo's philosophy is, "There is enough sickness, sadness, and sorrow in the world, and the Good Lord means for His people to have good, clean fun and laugh. Maybe that's why he gave us the talent to play and write these funny songs." They will be on stage at 4 p.m. and again at 8 p.m.

## Moron Brothers coming to Old Mill Park during Fest.

Lardo and Burley are coming to town! Better known as the Moron Brothers, this pair will be entertaining at Old Mill Park, in West Liberty, on Saturday, Sept. 26, during the annual Morgan County Sorghum Festival.

Well known for their down-home comedy, the Morons are favorites at bluegrass festivals and special events. Lardo, whose name is actually Mike Carr, was working at the Lexington Fire Department when he met Burley (Mike Hammond) at a jam session. Both are from the Lexington area.

Entertaining together since 1995, the Moron Brothers write and perform much of their own material which includes humorous lyrics and toe-tapping tunes. Their career was recently highlighted by an appearance on the Grand Old Opry where they performed an original selection.

In addition to the Moron Brothers at 4 p.m. and 8:15 p.m., Old Mill Park's Saturday entertainment will include performances by M. Michaels (one man

show) at noon; Orby Hunley and Pine Mountain Grass at 1 p.m. and 6:30 p.m.; Cecil Butcher and Big Sandy Mountain Boys at 2 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.; Roland Dunn and East Kentucky Mountain Boys at 3 p.m.; Darrell Winkleman and the Mountain Echoes at 5 p.m. and 9:15 p.m..

Sunday's lineup will include Orby Hunley and Pine Mountain Grass at noon; 1:00 p.m. is open; Hatfield Wright and East Kentucky Gospel Boys at 2 p.m.; Cathy Baker and Berachah Valley singers at 3 p.m., and Heavenly Bound Singers at 4 p.m. (All times and band are subject to change).

Old Mill Park entertainment will begin at noon on Saturday and Sunday. To accommodate festival goers there will be two concession stands operating in the park this year.

Lanny Franklin, chairman of the Old Mill Park entertainment, says, "While you're in town for the Sorghum Festival, be sure to come by Old Mill Park and enjoy the best in bluegrass music".

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## Morgan Co. is recipient of Champions drug free funds

Morgan County Champions has been awarded \$6,966 in Champions for a Drug Free Kentucky funding. Champions is funded by Title Four Safe and Drug Free Schools and Communities and administered by the Kentucky Justice and Public Safety Cabinet. The Morgan County Champions will utilize the funding to implement Too Good For Drugs in kindergarten through eighth grade and Too Good For Violence in the ninth grade.

Too Good For Drugs is a school-based prevention program designed to reduce risk factors and enhance protective factors related to alcohol, tobacco and other drug use among students. Too Good For Violence helps students develop the communication and negotiation skills they need to get along with others.

"The programs provided by Champions are very beneficial for our schools and students," says Carolyn Bishop, Chair of the Morgan County Drug Task Force. "These programs are part of a broader school and community effort to reduce substance abuse and violence."

Champions for a Drug Free Kentucky is a statewide network of community coalitions estab-

lished in 1986 during the administration of Gov. Martha Layne Collins to promote the prevention of alcohol, tobacco and other drugs, along with the reduction of violence. There are 82 Champions coalitions throughout the state.

"Community coalitions are one of the tried and true methods to effectively implement substance abuse prevention strategies in a community," according to Amy Jeffers, Pathways' ALERT Regional Prevention Center Di-

rector. "Although a universal, effective substance abuse curriculum is the foundation of prevention efforts, coalitions need funding to implement community-wide efforts."

The Pathways' ALERT Regional Prevention Center coordinates nine Champions coalitions in the 10-county catchment area they serve.

For information on Champions for a Drug Free Kentucky or the work of Morgan County Champions or to join the efforts,

contact Mona McClain, the Regional Prevention Center liaison, at 1-606-329-8588, ext. 4119.

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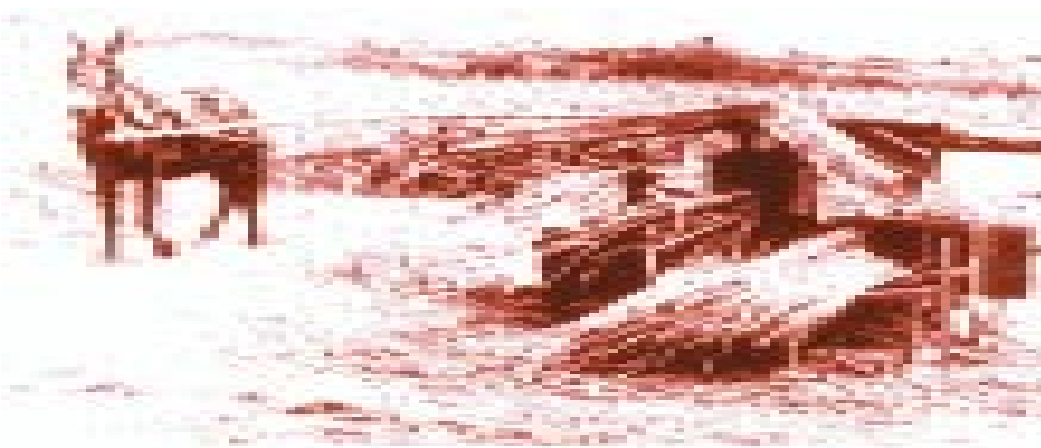
# Sorghum Makin' In The Good Old Days

Way back in the "good-old-days," Sorghum was used in a lot of different ways. Most people would buy five gallons or more, Some people would have a lard can full behind the door. We would come to the table in the cold winter weather And take some sorghum and butter and mix it together. Sorghum and butter was my favorite spread, And hot biscuits was my favorite bread. On biscuits, with butter, you couldn't beat it, But that wasn't the only way you could eat it. It was used to sweeten coffee, and in cookies or cakes, And they also used it in other things they'd make. Sorghum wasn't always sold at the store, It was mostly sold at the mill or from door to door. When I think back on the things I've done, Going to the sorghum mill was a whole lot of fun. Some people made sorghum at night, They had a big fire, burning bright. To keep the fire going they used a lot of wood, And of course they got it from anywhere they could. They would drag dead logs from off the hill, Or maybe get slabs from the saw mill. The fire was used to heat the evaporator, I'll tell you about that a little later. Some of the cane was stripped in the field, Some was cut and hauled and stripped at the mill. Either way was alright I guess, Then it was put through a mule-powered press. The mule pulled the sweep 'round and 'round, Licking on cane stalks spread on the ground. I guess it was an effort not to be cruel, The stalks made easy walking for the mule. A woman usually fed the press, She wore men's pants instead of a dress. As juice was all squeezed out, It ran through a pipe connected to a spout. The pipe carried the juice into the pan, I'll explain it the best I can. At the cool end of the pan the juice would start, Then travel through the bars to the hottest part. They would work it through the bars as evenly as they could, They used a long-handled paddle, made of wood. The pan is where the juice was evaporated,

That is the way sorghum was created. They used extra help 'till the sorghum was all made, A few buckets of sorghum is how they were paid. Two gallons of sorghum equaled about one day's pay. And as far as I know, it's still that way. I like sorghum, it's good to eat, And hot out a pan it can't be beat. We would use a stick of any kind, A piece of cane stalk was a favorite of mine. A cane stalk or a a paddle made of wood, They would let us eat all of it we could. Now picture this, if you can, We'd lick the paddle off and stick it back in the pan. I don't know all the scientific

terms, But the heat was supposed to kill all the germs. I know a place that you ought to go, West Liberty, Kentucky to the Sorghum Show. I've been there a few times, and as I remember, They hold it sometime the last of September. They have arts and crafts and plenty to eat, And they have a sorghum mill right near Main Street. If you've never seen sorghum made, you'll be amazed. It takes me back to the "good-old-days."

By Raymond C. Hitchcock  
Columbus, Ohio  
From his book, "I think I  
Was Lucky To Grow Up In  
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### A September Day

By Ruth Duff

The sun rose early on a September morn,  
That's the way the new day was born.  
It shined so brightly on the Goldenrod,  
I knew it was a gift from God.  
I gazed out the window, then turned with a jerk.  
I just remembered I needed to work.  
I made grape juice fresh and sweet.  
And put it on the shelf for a nice winter treat  
I had my grandbaby for a while,  
And enjoyed the beauty of a baby's smile.  
I was busy and happy all day long.  
As I did my work I sang a song.  
I watched the sun set in the west,  
And thought of the one that I loved best.  
The day flew by on golden wings,  
And I thanked God for all of those things.







### Georges announce birth of a daughter

God truly blessed Jeffrey and Shawna George on Friday, Aug. 14, 2009, at 5:32 p.m. with a beautiful daughter, Isabella Grace George. She weighed 7 lbs. 1 oz. and was 20 inches long. She was born at Paul B. Hall Hospital, in Paintsville, Ky. Paternal grandparents are Earl and Wandalene George, of Vanlear, Ky., and the late Norene Wheeler, of West Liberty, Ky. Maternal grandparents are Garvin and Plina Blanton, of West Liberty, Ky. Isabella was welcomed home by a host of family and friends that loves her very much. (pd)

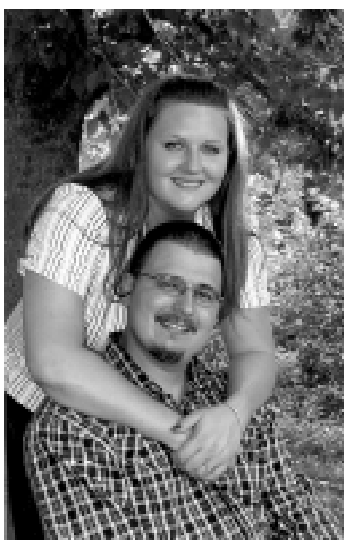
### W.L. Nursing and Rehab. residents enjoy trip to the annual county fair



Pictured are, from left to right, Birdie Gevedon, Beverly Stamper, Office Manager; Billy Lewis, C.N.A.; Betty Black, Activities Director; Alma Bates, and Clinton Johnson.

West Liberty Nursing and Rehabilitation Center recently enjoyed a trip to the county fair. Residents enjoyed the opportunity to view their prize winning exhibits and enjoyed delicious

funnel cakes, Birdie Gevedon won second place for her embroidered baby quilt, and Clinton Johnson won third place for a birdhouse design.



Kandance Rader and James Malone

### Rader-Malone vows to be spoken this weekend

Kandance Rader and James Malone, formerly of West Liberty, are pleased to announce their engagement and forthcoming marriage this weekend.

Kandance, 23, is the daughter of Elizabeth Rader and the late Norman Rader. She is a 2004 graduate of Okeechobee High School in Florida.

James, 26, is the son Jimmy and Linda Malone, of West Liberty. He is a 2002 graduate of Morgan County High School.

The invitation-only wedding will take place 8 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 26, at Index Community Church.

The couple plans to reside in Morehead, Ky.

### SENIOR CITIZENS MENU

Monday, Sept. 28--Pork chopette, buttered potatoes, green peas, wheat roll, peaches, milk, margarine cup.

Tuesday, Sept. 29--Hamburger steak and gravy, baked potato, margarine and sour cream, green beans w/almonds, wheat roll, pineapple chunks, milk, margarine cup.

Wednesday, Sept. 30--Barbecue chicken, buttered corn, marinated tomato, cucumber and onions, wheat bread, watermelon, milk, margarine.

### WORDS OF WISDOM

The cream of enjoyment in this life is always impromptu. the chance walk; the unexpected visit; the unpremeditated journey; the unsought conversation or acquaintance.

— Fanny Fern  
Writer/columnist

### WELCOME RORY!



Aurora Elizabeth Holbrook is the newborn daughter of Jarrod and Bridget Holbrook, of Frankfort, Ky. Rory was born on June 6, 2009. She weighed 5 pounds and 12 1/4 ounces. Welcoming Rory home were Alexander (brother), Marsha and Dean Castle, of Inez, Ky., and Mabelle and Darrell Holbrook, of West Liberty. (pd)

### Writing workshops for high school seniors scheduled

MOREHEAD, Ky.—The Morehead Writing Project will present a "WriteStart" workshop for high school seniors. The workshops are designed to help high school seniors: craft effective, well-written college application essays; write correctly formatted, eye-pleasing cover letters; and locate resources for scholarship money. The cost will be \$15 for students and \$25 if a parent attends.

Each workshop will be led by current high school English teachers who have completed the Morehead Writing Project's Summer Institute.

Workshops will be held: Sept. 19: Morehead State University, Morehead campus, and MSU at Prestonsburg; Oct. 31: MSU at Jackson and MSU at Ashland; Nov. 14: MSU at Mt. Sterling and MSU at Prestonsburg.

All workshops will be held from 9 a.m. to noon. Additional information is available by visiting MWP's Web site at <http://moreheadwritingproject.org>; or by calling Deanna Mascle, MWP site director, at (606) 783-2426.

### ANNOUNCE BIRTH OF A DAUGHTER



Haley Leetta Hanshell

Haley Leetta Hanshell was born at Saint Joseph Hospital, in Mount Sterling, Sunday, Sept. 13, 2009, weighing 6 pounds and 7 ounces, and was 19 inches long. Her parents are Jessica Hanshell and Lee Hanshell.

Grandparents are Charlotte Bates and Pauline Hanshell. She was welcomed home by two brothers and one sister. Great grandparents are Virgil and Faye Ferguson, of Bonny, and the late Raymond and Bessie Caudill, of Jackson.

### NOTE OF APPRECIATION

We, the family of Lee and Jessica Hanshell, would like to take this time to thank Mr. and Mrs. Calvin James, of Menifee County, for their help during the birth of their daughter, Haley Leetta. There wasn't enough time to make it to the hospital. Haley was born in Mr. and Mrs. James' driveway. She weighed 6 lbs. 7 ozs. Thanks to all that assisted in anyway. Haley is the granddaughter of Robert Spaulding, of Hazel Green, and Charlotte Bates and Pauline Hanshell and Keith Perry. This just proves that there are still good citizens in the world and God is still looking over us.

Thank you,  
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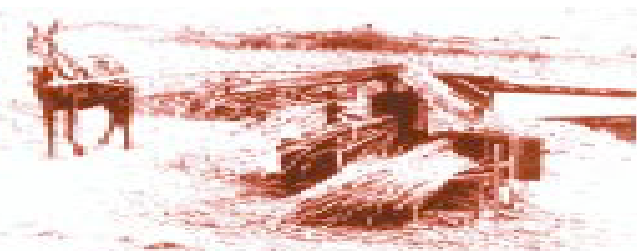
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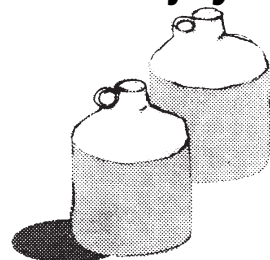
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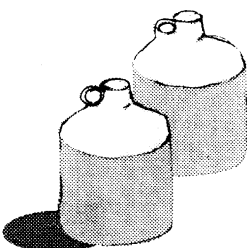
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### Final Drive To Perform At Festival

Local musicians Final Drive will be perform during the Sorghum Festival 9:30-11 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 26, in the Commercial Bank parking lot. Band members pictured above (left to right) kneeling are David Chandler and Dwayne Davis, and standing are Vernon Lewis, Gerald Blevins, Dennis Fraley, Buddy Richardson and John Lucas. Final Drive would like to invite everyone to the festival to enjoy their show, as well as the music of rock group Stitch Rivet, of Campton, who will perform after Final Drive.

## Wise Co., Va., board nixes agency's plan to release elk

Sept. 15 — The Board of Supervisors in Wise County, Virginia, has come out against a proposal by the state Department of Game and Inland Fisheries to place elk on reclaimed strip mines, but has endorsed the siting of electricity-generating wind turbines on the county's mountaintops, reports Jodi Deal of The Coalfield Progress in Norton (the county's independent city, which endorsed the elk idea).

The Virginia coalfield counties of Dickenson, Russell, Lee, Scott, Buchanan and Tazewell have been asked to take a herd from the Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation, "the same group that oversaw an elk restoration project in Eastern Kentucky," Deal writes, but Supervisor Steve Bates said the animals have already crossed into Kentucky's mother state and are causing trouble. "I have not heard one single positive comment," Bates said. "I've had two or three people from Pound say, 'They're already in our town, come down here and hunt them if you want them'." Pound Gap is the county's major pass to Kentucky, across Pine Mountain.

"The county's agricultural extension agent, the Wise and Dickenson County Farm Bureau and a local cattlemen's organization all offered to gather experts to give county supervisors more information," Deal reports, but "Supervisors decided the flood of opposition they've heard to the proposal was enough information to make a decision. ... Supervisors echoed citizens' concerns about property damage, disease, risk to motorists and lack of food for the huge animals."

Supervisor Ronnie Shortt "pointed out that the county has invested money in a new agricultural center on the Wise-Dickenson county line — a venture that's proving to be a successful partnership between the two counties," Deal writes. "County Administrator Shannon Scott pointed out that elk could also trample fledgling trees on reclaimed surface mines, hampering reforestation efforts." Others worried about impact on vineyards. The Farm Bureau and the Coalfield Beef Cattle and Land Use Association oppose the idea.

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For Further Info. Call Eddy Joe Castle 606-743-1394  
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Morgan County native Goble Cantrell and the Kentucky Blue Collar Band will perform at 5:00 p.m.

## KY Blue Collar Band to play Sat. at Towne Cinema

Recording Artist and Morgan County native Goble Cantrell and the Kentucky Blue Collar Band (KBCB) will be performing live (one night only) on Saturday, Sept. 26, at 5:00 p.m. at the Town Cinema in West Liberty during the 39th annual Sorghum Festival.

The band has been playing throughout the region for the last five years and is now "Comin' Home." The band will also be officially releasing their new CD, "Long Hard Road," recorded and produced by Randy Hayes of J.D. Crow, Keith Whitley, Tanya Tucker and Lori Morgan fame.

The first single, "Missin' You," released from the album won Song of the Month during May at hosstheboss.com, an

online radio station out of Corpus Christie, Texas, beating out 40 other songs from bands such as Asleep at the Wheel, Little Texas and the Kentucky Headhunters, and setting an all time voting record for any one song in the contest. The song is now being played in regular rotation on the Country Outlaw in England.

Tickets for Saturday's performance are \$5.00 and are on sale at the Town Cinema Box Office. The band is also asking all their fans that are going to be watching the parade to bring a marker and autograph the side of their Tour Bus as it makes its way through the parade route. Be sure to check the band out at [www.kentuckybluecollarband.com](http://www.kentuckybluecollarband.com)

## Festival...

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Mountain Grass.

1 p.m. — Open.

2 p.m. Hatfield Wright & Gospel Mtn. Boys.

3 p.m. — Cathy Baker & Berachah Valley Singers.

4 p.m. — Heavenly Bound singers.

### CIVIL WAR ACTIVITIES SCHEDULE

The following is a full Civil War activities lineup including dates and times for all events:

**Saturday, Sept. 26**

8-9 a.m. — Re-enactors' breakfast at main tent.

10 a.m. — Camps open to public.

10:30-11:30 a.m. — Infantry drill.

12 p.m. — Parade call.

1 p.m. — Sorghum Festival parade.

5 p.m. — The Battle of West Liberty.

6:30 p.m. — Camp closes to the public.

7 p.m. — Dinner at main tent for special guests and re-enactors only.

8 p.m. — Re-enactors' grand ball at the main tent. (Proper period clothing must be worn.)

**Sunday, Sept. 27**

8-9 a.m. — Re-enactors' breakfast at main tent.

10 a.m. — Camps open to public.

10 a.m. — Church service at main tent. Public is encouraged to attend.

12 p.m. — Ladies' tea at main tent. Table seating available for first 50 guests only.

2 p.m. — The Battle of West Liberty continues. Camp closes after battle.

### GENERAL INFO

The information booth and first aid station will be located in the large food area in the Commercial Bank parking lot. Anyone with car problems may contact City Hall at 743-3330. A handicap restroom is located at Main Street Food Mart.

For additional festival information, contact Sharon Lykins at 743-3330, or Judge Executive Tim Conley at 743-3897. To learn more about the Sons of Confederate Veterans Civil War program, please visit the website [www.battleofwestliberty.com](http://www.battleofwestliberty.com).

Sorghum Festival Committee members are Chairman Tim Conley, Belinda Jordan, Darren Gillespie, Sharon Lykins, Linda Oakley, Henrietta McKinney, Harold McKinney, Danny Townsend, Judy Townsend, Leona Cantrell, Violet Fannin, Lori Keeton, Lorene Trimble, Kristi Gullett, Wendy Griffiths, Leona Osborne, Sarah Fannin, Tammy Conley, Mary Standafer, Donald Cox, Lanny Franklin, Sarah Byrd, John Motley, Jerry Lindon, Janell Potter, Jodi Stacy, Chelsea Steele, Emily Nickell and Nathaniel Lumpkins.

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Dale Oakley, of Kettering, Ohio, son of Dale and Linda Oakley, of Pleasant Run, will perform at the Sorghum Festival this year. Oakley recently released his debut country album, *Big Dreams & Empty Pockets*, featuring 10 original songs that he co-wrote. He has also worked with country artists Trisha Yearwood, Ricky Skaggs and Lorrie Morgan. He will perform 8-9 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 26, in West Liberty.

### Flu shots available at Frederick clinic

Frederick Medical Clinic now has flu shots available. Appointments and walk-ins are welcome. Hours are 8 a.m.-6 p.m. Monday and Friday, 8 a.m.-8 p.m. Tuesday and Wednesday, and 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Thursday.

Dr. James Frederick  
Melissa Frederick,  
Nurse Practitioner

### New quarters series will feature national parks in each state

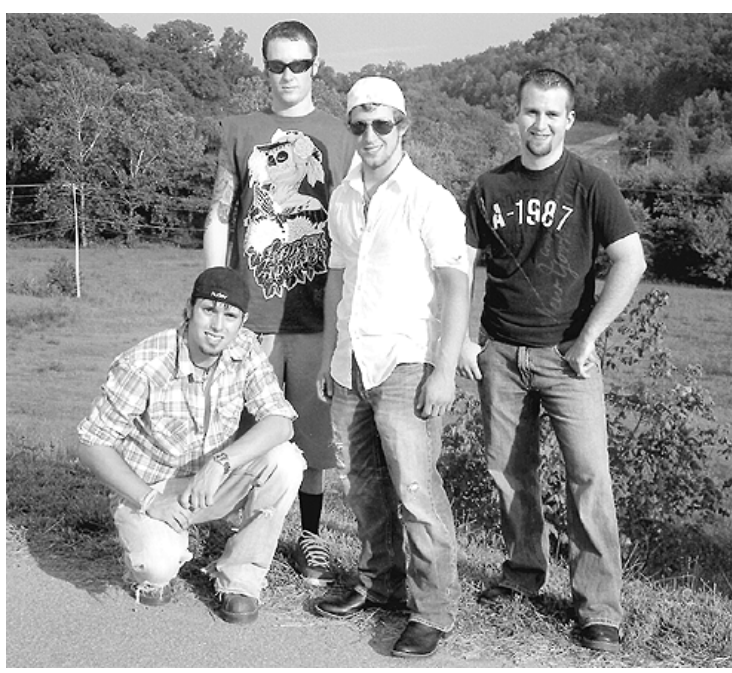
The U.S. quarter-dollar still hasn't found a long-term design. Fresh off the 2008 completion of the decade-long program that honored each state with its own quarter, the U.S. Mint has announced a new program that will honor 56 national parks or federally preserved areas, Environmental News Service reports.

The "America the Beautiful Quarters Program" will feature one national park or preserved area from each state and territory. The program will begin in April 2010 with a quarter honoring Arkansas' Hot Springs National Park and will continue till 2021, ending with Alabama's Tuskegee Airmen National Historic Site. The quarters will be released in the order the site was placed under the control of the U.S. government; Hot Springs became a "federal reservation" in 1832, four years before Arkansas became a state. (Read more)

The Appalachian Mountains will receive their fair share of recognition, with quarters honoring the Cumberland Gap National Historical Park in Kentucky, the Great Smoky Mountains National Park in Tennessee, the White Mountains National Forest in New Hampshire and the Blue Ridge Parkway in North Carolina.

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Korey Blake Rose (center), of Lexington, grandson of Roger and Sharon Rose, of West Liberty, will perform again at the Sorghum Festival this year with his new band, Blackwater. Band members include Ronald Weddington on lead guitar, Justin Lyons and drums and Daniel Green on bass guitar, all of Sandy Hook. Blackwater would like all of their family, friends and fans to join them at 5 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 26, in West Liberty.



Mike Havens and Blue Mountain Grass, of Morgan County, will perform at the Sorghum Festival this year. The group has been a favorite at summer bluegrass festivals throughout the state. They will perform 7-8 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 26, in West Liberty. Other upcoming performances include a show at Jenny's Music Barn in Farmers on Nov. 6, and at Debbie's Music Show House at Salt Lick the second Saturday in March. They will also be playing several shows in the Lake Panasoffkee, Fla., area in February 2010.

## No incentives for horse breeders cited for 'soreing'

Sept. 9 — Horse breeders' incentives will exclude those who intentionally injure Tennessee Walking Horses.

Breeders who intentionally injure their Tennessee Walking Horses will no longer be eligible for benefits from the Kentucky Walking Horse Association's breeders incentive fund. The Kentucky Horse Racing Commission's new standards seek to eliminate the practice of "soreing," intentionally injuring a horse to exaggerate its showy gait, reports Janet Patton of the Lexington Herald-Leader.

The new guidelines will allow the fund, suspended since February, to be reinstated, but also call for inspectors from one of three anti-soreing activist groups to be used in determining eligible recipients. The Herald-Leader and state investigations discov-

ered that despite assurances from Earl Rogers, head of the KWHA incentive fund, a dozen fund recipients had been cited for violations of the federal Horse Protection Act in 2008. Rogers would not comment to Patton about the new regulations.

Donna Bennefield, administrative director of the Horse Protection Council, told Patton, "I think this is going to be a huge, huge incentive to fix a very long problem." Kentucky Horse Racing Commissioner Ned Bonnie said, "It (new rules) puts Kentucky in the leadership position with respect to how you treat horses."

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Of a yard all wide, and bloss-  
som-starred,  
Where the children played at  
will.  
And when the night at last  
came down,  
Hushing the merry din;  
Mother would look around  
and ask,  
"Are all the children in?"

"Tis many and many a year  
since then,  
And the old house on the hill  
No longer echoes to childish  
feet,  
And the yard is still, so still.  
But I see it all as the shadows  
creep,  
And though many the years  
have been  
Since then, I can hear mother  
ask,  
"Are all the children in?"

I wonder if, when the shadows  
fall,  
On the last short earthly day:  
When we say good-by to the  
world outside  
All tired with our childish  
play,  
When we meet the lover of  
boys and girls  
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sin,  
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mother did,  
"Are all the children in?"

(Contributed by JBS)

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# AREA DEATHS

## Jewell Cindy Lewis

Jewell "Cindy" Lewis of Lacy Creek, Ky., passed away Monday, September 21, 2009, at St. Joseph Hospital, Lexington, Ky., at the age of 66 years, 11 months, and 24 days. She was born on Monday, September 28, 1942, in Wise County, Va., a daughter of Mary Elizabeth Wallen Flanary and the late George Hackney.

She was united in marriage to Kenneth Paris Lewis. This union was blessed with four children, Mary Margaret, Elizabeth Anne, Virginia Lea, and Sherrill Wayne. She was a homemaker, devoting her life to care for her family and her home.

In addition to her father, she was preceded in death by her husband, Kenneth Paris Lewis; one grandson, Kenneth Gray Rollo Lewis; one sister, Betty Sue Barnett, and her grandparents, James and Myrtle Ann Walter Hackney and Sarah Ann Bowman.

She is survived by her four children, Mary Margaret Lewis, Elizabeth Anne Cordle, Virginia Lea Lewis, and Sherrill Wayne Lewis and wife Angela, all of West Liberty, Ky.; her mother, Mary Elizabeth Wallen Flanary; three grandchildren, J.J. Holden, Kendra Anne Cordle, and Cynthia Grace Lewis; six brothers and sisters, Connie Pennington, Johnny and Sandy Flanary, Deloris Morris, Margaret and Kirby Gardner, Lola and Eddie Varner, and Kenny Flanary, all of Virginia, and six brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law, Kennell and Leova Lewis, Jewell Young, Joyce and Dan LeMaster, Jan and John Jones, Bill and Sharon Lewis, all of West Liberty, Ky., and Joan and Bob Askins of Ohio.

Funeral services were conducted at 2:00 p.m., Wednesday, September 23, 2009, at the Lacy Creek Church of Christ with Bro. Paul Jarvis and Elder Jimmy Adkins officiating. Burial was in the Dawson Cemetery, Lacy Creek, Ky, with Potter Funeral Home in charge of arrangements. Pallbearers: Tom Blackburn, James Daniel LeMaster, Ralph Cordle, Jamie Phipps, Kennell Lewis, Joe Conley, William Dan LeMaster, Kenny Prater, and David Conley.

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## Nelda A. Evans

Nelda Anderson Evans, 91, of Heritage Point, Morgantown, West Virginia, died Friday, Sept. 18, 2009, at The Madison.

She was born November 4, 1917, in Ezel, Kentucky, daughter of the late Lynn Boyd Anderson and Lillian Dennis Anderson.

She received a degree in home economics from Berea College in 1939. She worked for Farmers Home Administration from 1939-1947 in Jackson, Ky.

She married Homer Evans in 1947 and they moved to Morgantown. She was a long time member of First Presbyterian Church. She enjoyed her membership in P.E.O. and Ingleside Book Club.

She is survived by two sons and daughters-in-law, James Boyd and Karen Evans, of Pikeville, and Joe and Betty Evans, of Morgantown, West Virginia; four grandchildren, Kendra Evans and boyfriend, Shaun Menear, Kylie Evans and spouse, Adam Majot, all of Morgantown, West Virginia, Charlie Evans and spouse, Gretchen, and Peter Evans, all of Roanoke, Virginia; two great grandchildren, Sammy and Eli Evans, of Roanoke, Virginia; a sister, and brother-in-law, Ruth Beryl and Rue Wallace, of Lexington; and a niece and spouse, Carol and Harold McKinney, of Danville.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Homer, in 1995.

Friends may call at First Presbyterian Church, Spruce Street, from 10 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 26, until the 11 a.m. service with Rev. John Sonnenday and Rev. Kris Haig presiding.

Memorial donations may be made to First Presbyterian Church, 456 Spruce Street, Morgantown, WV 26505.

## Charles A. Nickell

Charles A. Nickell departed this life on November 29, 2008. He was 78 years old.

Born in Morgan County, Kentucky, on May 21, 1930, he was preceded in death by his parents, Alonzo and Dora Adams Nickell; one sister, Carrie Nickell Muncie; four brothers, Bertol J. Nickell, Wendell Ray Nickell, Cecil K. Nickell, and Oscar Clay Nickell.

Survivors include one daughter, Charlotte Kay, of Georgia; two sons, Tommie Nickell, of Chillicothe, Ohio, and David Nickell, of Beaver, Ohio; three grandchildren in Ohio and three in Georgia. He is also survived by one brother, Darrell Nickell, of Florida; two sisters, Faye, of Perrysville, Ohio, and Rhoda Salmon, of Branson, Missouri; and a very special friend, Cindy Elliott, of Chillicothe, Ohio.

(Submitted by Rhoda Salmon)

## Raymond Collinsworth

James Raymond Collinsworth, 75, of Ezel, loving husband, father and grandfather, died Sunday, Sept. 20, 2009, at Edgewood Estates Nursing Home, in Frenchburg.

Raymond was born December 27, 1933, a son of the late Jim and Minnie Wheeler Collinsworth. He was raised in Morgan County, Kentucky.

A member of the Korea Church of God, at Wellington, Raymond was a retired IBM employee and a U.S. Air Force veteran serving in the Korean War.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by an infant brother.

Survivors include his wife, Patty Wilson Collinsworth; two daughters, Connie Vittitow, of Cecilia, and Vicki Browning, of Frenchburg; one sister, Esta Wells, of Campton; four brothers, Jessie Collinsworth and Charles Collinsworth, both of Arizona, Ishmal Collinsworth, of Wellington, and Richard Collinsworth, of Dayton, Ohio; three grandchildren, Carlotta Denney, of Indiana, Caroline yates, of Cecilia, and Leanne Reed, of Means; 3 great grandchildren; and a dear friend and caregiver, Ruth Kemplin.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Wednesday, Sept. 23, at Korea Church of God, at Wellington, with Rev. David Hale officiating. Burial followed in Ezel Cemetery, at Ezel, with Herald and Stewart and Halsey Funeral Home, of West Liberty, in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were Justin Yates, Chris Denney, Jackalee Reed, Tim Browning, Donald Vittitow, Ralph Collinsworth, and Greg Motley.

Military graveside services were conducted by Morlgan County D.A.V. Chapter 132.

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## THANKS FROM THE FAMILY OF SHEILA CAMPBELL

We would like to thank all of the many relatives and friends that visited Sheila during her long illness. Thank you to Mountain Community Hospice and all their employees for the excellent care and professional service Sheila received. We would like to take this opportunity to thank all the people in the county that we talked to during the visitation, and those who brought food or sent flowers or those beautiful embroiders. Thanks to all City of West Liberty, City of Campton, Lowes, and McDonald's employees and the many churches for their kind words and prayers. Also we want to thank Rev. Gary Connors for his kind words during the service, and a special thanks to Porter and Son Funeral Home and staff for their professional and courteous service during this most difficult time. We (Doug, Bradley and Kim) thank you all.

(pd)

## Ricky E. Elam

Ricky Eugene Elam, of Rogers, beloved father of Erica Stone and Samantha Elam, departed this life Wednesday, Sept. 9, 2009, at the age of 45 years, 10 months and 8 days.

He was a son of Louise Deaton Elam and the late Jerry Ray Elam, born at Campton, Kentucky on November 1, 1963.

Ricky was a correction officer and was a loving father and grandfather. He was retired from the National Guard and was a member of Cox F & AM Masonic Lodge.

Survivors include two loving daughters, Erica Stone and husband, Justin, of Valdosta, Georgia and Samantha Elam, of Rogers; three grandchildren, Joel Austin, Ricky Kyle and Abby Raigh Stone, all of Valdosta, Georgia; one brother, Henry Elam, of North Middletown; two sisters, Hazel Dunn, of Rogers, and Julie Elam, of Beattyville; a large number of aunts and uncles; and companion, Tammy Buckler, of Campton; and a host of other relatives and friends.

In addition to his father, he was preceded in death by one brother, Jerry Clifford Elam; and one sister, Rita Elam.

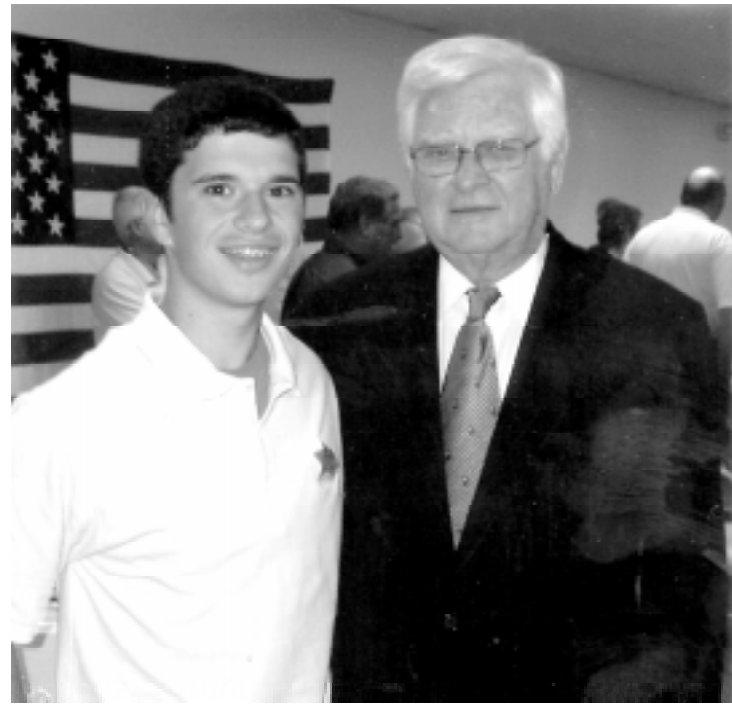
Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 13, at Porter and Son Funeral Directors Chapel, with Rev. Adam Hays and Bro. Ernie Childers officiating. Burial followed in the Spencer Cemetery, at Tar Ridge, Rogers, Ky.

Pallbearers were Henry Elam, Justin Stone, Amdrew Dunn, Jason Motley, Chris Fallen, Jamie McFarland, Phillip Vanderpool, and Jason Jewell. Arrangements were entrusted to Porter and Son Funeral Directors, of Campton, Kentucky.

## Fyffe and Ball reunion held Sun., Sept. 6th

Those attending the annual Fyffe and Ball reunion, held Sunday, Sept. 6th, were Laura Mayabb, Robert Mayabb, Wayne and Ruby Mayabb, Tom and Shirley Mayabb, Wade and Crystal Mayabb and children, Molly and Thomas Wade, Steve Mayabb, Helen and Hilloos Kincaid and granddaughter, Lauren, Aaron and Melissa Hatton and sons, Jake and Lincoln, Bertha Lewis, Wanda and Bill Barker, Chris, Betty, and Cody Barker, Berneice Lewis, Mechelle Gilliam and daughter, Peyton, Michael and Becky Lewis, Vonda Oney and son, T.J., Richard and Teresa Williams and children, Kala, Kasey, and Jonathan.

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## Cory Linkous Meets Rep. Hal Rogers

Morgan County High School junior Cory Linkous met and spoke with U.S. Rep. Hal Rogers at West Liberty City Hall. The congressman was in West Liberty last month to give the city a check to complete the sewer project. Cory wanted to meet and thank Rep. Rogers for all of his support and efforts to promote the youth in his district. Cory is a 2009 Rogers Scholar from Morgan County, and he spent a week this past summer at The Center in Somerset, Ky. The Rogers Scholars program is named in honor of the congressman's efforts. Cory is the son of Keith and Myra Linkous, of Malone, Ky.

## Lenox

By Estelle Caskey

Sept. 21--Our deepest sympathy is extended to all who have lost loved ones.

Mrs. Sherry Sanders visited last Tuesday morning with Estelle and Louise Caskey.

Mrs. Joyce Ferguson had business in Lexington one day last week.

Miss Kayla Wright was a guest of Miss Jessie Bates last Tuesday night.

Mrs. Josephine O'Neal and Mrs. Julia Johnson visited last Wednesday afternoon with Estelle and Louise Caskey.

Mrs. Della Banks and Mrs. Joyce Ferguson visited on Saturday with Estelle and Louise Caskey.

Mrs. Joyce Ferguson visited last Saturday in Morehead with Mr. and Mrs. Garrick Ratliff and Garrison Lee.

Mrs. Mickie Vance, of Morehead, visited last Saturday with Joey, Jan, and Jessie Bates.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Adkins visited last Saturday afternoon with Estelle and Louise Caskey.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Howell visited Friday afternoon with Mrs. Josephine O'Neal.

Mrs. Bernice Johnson and Mrs. Patty Shoop, of Dayton, Ohio, are visiting a few days in West Liberty with family members and friends.

Patty Shoop visited Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Josephine O'Neal and Mrs. Julia Johnson.

sons, Levi and Logan.

Tony and Carolyn Fyffe, Woodrow Ball, Roger Ball, Garry Ball, June Hook, Madgaline Lewis, Johnnie and dinah Cantrell, Elzie Keeton, Dewey and Susan Ball, Virginia Mason, B.M. Taulbee, Virginia Ball, Florence Gilliam, Beverly Cantrell and son, Josh, Ann Fyffe, Joan Cain and Bart Taylor, Ruth Giffin, Ike Slaughter, Linda Parsons, Courtney and Cheyenne Gibson, Raymond and Tabitha Sparks and son, T.J., Ina

Keaton, Kim Sheets, Allie Sheets, Heather Chapman, Patty and Lavelle Williams, Karla and Anthony Cantrell and children, Amber, Adam, Tiffany and Ryan, Abby and Jarrod Smith, Berneice Johnson, Patty Shoop, Kathleen Kissinger, Forrest and Barbara Shelton, Rita Lewis, Connie Boswell, Angel and Autumn Cole, Alta Blevins.

McCoy Grass Blue Grass Band will be picking at Poppy Mountain Sept. 17th and at the Sorghum Festival Sept. 25th.



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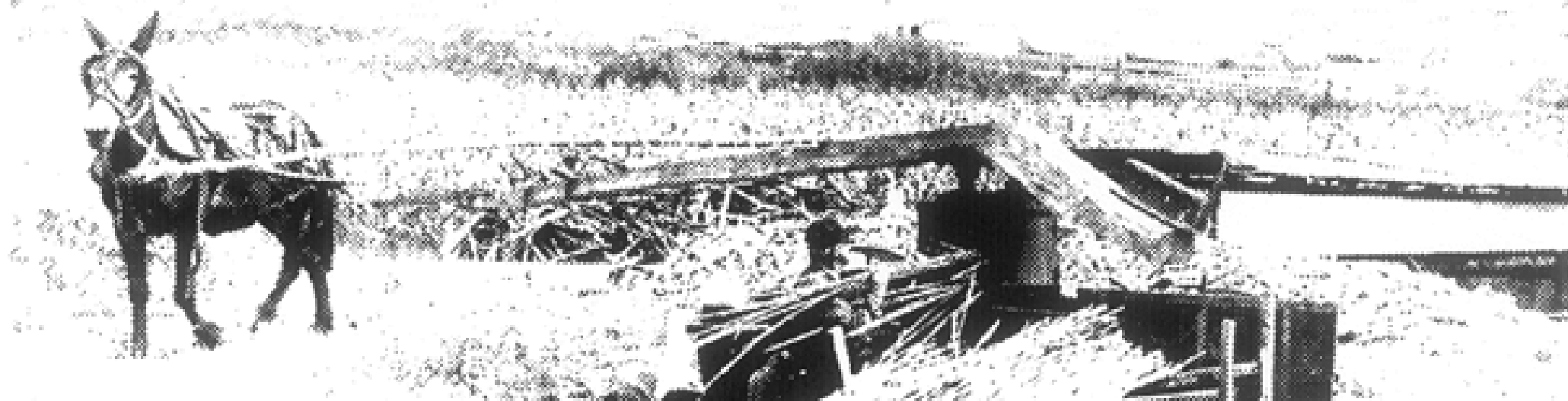
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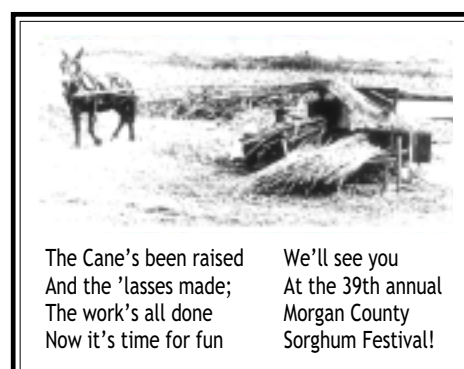
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Rotary International is the world's first service club organization, and is made up of 33,000 clubs in more than 200 countries and geographical areas. Rotary members form a global network of business and professional leaders who volunteer their talents to serve their communities and the world.

Paul Harris, a lawyer, was the founder of Rotary. In February 1905, he formed the first club with three other Chicago businessmen. He named the new club "Rotary" because members met in rotation at their various places of business.

Club membership grew rapidly. The second Rotary Club began in San Francisco in 1908, and others soon began across the United States. When clubs spread to Canada and England, the organization became the International

Association of Rotary Clubs (later shortened to Rotary International).

When Paul Harris passed away in 1947, there were 6,000 clubs worldwide. Rotary's motto, Service Above Self, exemplifies the humanitarian spirit of the organization's more than 1.2 million members.

Dennis McEvoy was a recent speaker at a Rotary Club meeting. He is the new district governor for Rotary District 6740.

Governor McEvoy outlined goals set by new Rotary International President John Kenny, of Linlithgow, Scotland. President Kenny's number one goal is to continue to help with funding for the eradication of polio.

Rotary International has joined with the World Health Organization, UNICEF, and the Center for Disease Control in 1985 in a joint



From left, West Liberty Rotarians Darrell Bradley and Tony Adkins and Dennis McEvoy District Governor, Rotary District 6740.



West Liberty Rotary Club members Danny McKenzie, left, and Tony Adkins, right.

effort to rid the world of the dreaded disease of polio. Rotarians have donated \$800 million during this 20-year period.

Since 1985, more than 2 billion children have received the oral polio vaccine. Reported cases have dropped by 99.8 percent from 350,000 in 1988 to fewer than 2,000 a year today. Only four countries, Afghanistan, India, Nigeria and Pakistan have reported cases today.

The Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation recently awarded Rotary a \$355 million grant for the Polio Plus Fund. In return, Rotary International is committed to raising \$200 million by June 30, 2012.

Governor McEvoy has set support for the polio project as District 6740's number one goal. Each of the 42 clubs in our district has been challenged to sponsor one fundraising project to raise funds for this worldwide effort. He also defined as goals member recruitment and retention, to stress Rotary's goal of service to others and to increase the public image and accomplishments of Rotary.

Danny McKenzie was our guest speaker in August. He gave

an informative talk on the scouting program in Morgan County, specifically Cub Scout Pack 111 and Boy Scout Troop 109. He shared with us the many different badges and awards that can be earned by scouts.

Danny has been involved with scouting since childhood. He and other parents donate many hours to the program. Danny discussed the various programs offered to the scouts by Boys Scouts of America, and the many changes that have evolved since he first became involved. He stressed the need for people in all professions to help scouts earn badges by teaching them about different vocations, hobbies and crafts.

Anyone who is interested in teaching about a specific badge can contact any parent involved in the program. We appreciate Danny and his contributions to our community, and his willingness to share this information with the West Liberty Rotary Club.

The West Liberty Rotary Club is young in relation to other organizations in our community. We began in 2002 after being sponsored by the Morehead Rotary Club. Our members are dedicated, enthusiastic and interested in making West Liberty and our world a better place to live.

We have several fund-raisers each year, including a golf tournament in May, 3K run in July, food booth at the Morgan County Fair and Sorghum Festival, and the Christmas Gala in December.

Our club has met the challenge of Governor McEvoy by donating proceeds from our annual 3K run in July to the Polio Plus Fund. We were able to fund five scholarships (four were matched by Morehead State University) to graduating seniors from Morgan County High School this year with proceeds from our annual golf tournament in May.

We also joined with other clubs to fund a clean water project for an orphanage in Cambodia.

One of our most enjoyable events is the annual dinner and party for residents of the West Liberty Nursing Home.

Rotary stresses ethics in determining how Rotary Clubs are run and how individual members conduct themselves. The four way test reminds us to be aware of the things that we think, say or do:

- 1) Is it the TRUTH?
- 2) Is it FAIR to all concerned.
- 3) Will it build GOOD WILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
- 4) Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned.

We want to thank West Liberty Tourism Commission, Pleasant Valley Country Club, the businesses of West Liberty and Morgan County, Morehead State University, West Liberty Police Department, Judge Executive Tim Conley all individuals who take part in our events, and our dedicated members for their support that made it possible to fund projects in our community and around the world.

We meet on Thursdays at 12 p.m. at the Lemon Tree (formerly Walls of Grace Tea Room) at Index. Come to a meeting and check us out.

### WORDS OF WISDOM

In all people there are two seeds of feelings: One is fear, the other is love. If there is fear, then we shrink as a person. But love, now! That can move mountains.

— Jorgen Roed



### 2009 Little Miss Morgan County Kenley Joy Taulbee

On August 29, 2009 Kenley Joy Taulbee was crowned Little Miss Morgan County. Kenley is the 6 year old daughter of Chris Taulbee and Heather Nickell, of West Liberty. Kenley will represent Morgan County at the 2010 Kentucky State Fair in the Little Miss Kentucky pageant. Kenley will compete with 2009 Little Mr. Morgan County, Blake Whitt. Blake is the son of Jeffrey and Ashley Whitt, of West Liberty. Kenley has won several titles including 2009 American Miss Glitz Supreme Queen and 2009 Rowan County Harvest Queen. Kenley would like to thank Sherry and Ronnie Hamilton of Studio Barn Photography, Lara Turner, Kayla and Deidre Dye, her wonderful Church family at Grace Baptist Church and all of her family and friends for their love and support. (pd)

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Opening act will be "Seconds Away" a band formed under the direction of Wayne Miller, of Miller's Music Studio of West Liberty, located inside Courtside Cafe'! Introducing a new band "Seconds Away" Taylor Young, guitarist, sophomore, Morgan County High School, JJ Hall, guitarist, Freshman, Wolfe County High School, & Will Lyons Sixth Grader, Drums, at Magoffin County Elementary will be performing an original song they have composed under the direction of Wayne Miller of Miller's Music Studio of West Liberty.



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10:00 A.M. - 11:00 P.M. - Music - Bank Parking Lot

#### Talent Showdown

#### MORGAN COUNTY FOOTBALL FIELD

7:00 P.M. Sorghum Bowl & Crowning of Sorghum Queen

#### OLD MILL PARK

Mule-Drawn Sorghum Mill

Children's Rides

Grist Mill

Saturday, September 26th

9:00 A.M. - 8:00 P.M.

Same as Friday and Music at Old Mill Park

1:00 P.M. - Parade - Theme: Sorghum Festival Memories

Sunday, September 27th

10:00 A.M. - 5:00 P.M.

Arts, Crafts, Food Booths - Sorghum - Souvenirs and  
much more, plus Old Mill Park activities, Gospel Music &  
Church on Main Street

#### GENERAL INFORMATION

Car problems - contact City Hall on Main Street  
Handicap Restrooms located at the Main Street Food  
Mart

WELCOME TO MORGAN COUNTY, KENTUCKY'S  
SORGHUM CAPITOL



## \$5,750 offered for litter disposal here in October

SOMERSET, Ky. — PRIDE has set aside \$5,750 to dispose of the litter picked up by volunteers in Morgan County during Roadside PRIDE Month in October. Morgan County and West Liberty could win trophies if they outperform other counties and cities during the month-long cleanup competition.

"If you enjoy a hometown victory, then Roadside PRIDE is for you, because you really can't lose," said PRIDE's Karen Engle. "When you team with other volunteers to pick up litter, then your fall scenery will be even more beautiful for you and your tourists. That's a win. And, if you turn out more volunteers and clean up more trash than other communities, then your county or city will bring home a trophy. That's another win."

"Your local governments also win during Roadside PRIDE Month, because PRIDE and the state's Energy and Environment Cabinet are partnering to reimburse them for disposing of the roadside litter," Engle added.

Morgan County is eligible for \$5,000 in Roadside PRIDE funds. West Liberty can receive up to \$750. The Roadside PRIDE funding levels are based on each county and city's number of road miles. PRIDE will provide supplies such as trash bags, gloves

and vests.

In the friendly Roadside PRIDE competition, cities and counties earn points for the number of volunteers who clean roadsides, the number of road miles cleaned and the amount of trash collected throughout the month of October. Trophies will be awarded to the cities and counties with the highest scores.

Morgan County and West Liberty will compete against counties and cities with similar populations. A list of competitors is available by calling, toll free, 888-577-4339, or visiting [www.kypride.org](http://www.kypride.org).

To volunteer to pick up litter near you, please call your local PRIDE Coordinator, Linda Rose, at 743-7817. She will provide your cleanup supplies, dispose of the trash you collect and add your contribution to your home team's score.

Roadside PRIDE is sponsored by Eastern Kentucky PRIDE, which is a nonprofit organization that serves 38 counties of southern and eastern Kentucky. PRIDE was founded by Congressman Hal Rogers and Kentucky Environmental Secretary James Bickford in 1997 to encourage and assist communities with environmental cleanup and education.

## School board in routine meeting

The Morgan County Board of Education during its regular Sept. 14 heard the following reports:

- A presentation from a Morgan County High School student regarding a four-day school week.
- Auditors' comments lauding school bookkeepers.
- A presentation from Ezel Elementary School/Morgan Central Elementary School FRYSC Director Kim Standafer.
- Board members approved the following agenda items:
  - The second reading of Morgan County Board of Education policies.
  - Recommended amendments to policy updates.
  - The authorization to purchase school buses through KISTA, should the need arise.
  - The authorization of Quick-

sand Farms, of Breathitt County, to perform turf maintenance at Herdman Field.

- The acceptance of two bids for surplus items at Morgan County Middle School.
- The declaration of four school buses as surplus.
- A contractual agreement for counseling.
- A contract agreement for non-residential pupils.
- LEA application for SFSF (assurances).
- A letter of agency.
- An agreement to furnish food services.
- A memorandum of agreement with the 21st Century program.
- A memorandum of agreement with the FRYSC Corps program.
- A memorandum of agree-

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ment with Morehead State University's Upward Bound program.

• A memorandum of agreement with Morehead State University's Gear Up program.

• A request for a business to be added to the board's vendor list.

• An out of state travel request for the FFA.

• The second reading of a disclosure of free and reduced price information agreement for food service policy.

• A request to apply for a \$2,000 Community Education grant.

• The cancellation of the regular Oct. 12 board meeting due to a scheduling conflict.

The board also approved the following personnel actions before adjournment:

#### Transfers

Mary Brown, custodian, from MCES to EVES (itinerate).

#### Employment

Hope Phipps, social studies teacher, MCMS; John Brown, paraeducator (part-time), MCMS; Mark Easterling, paraeducator (part-time), MCMS; Shirley Turner, bus monitor, district; Brenda Cantrell, bus driver (21st CCLC), district; James Dean Gamble, custodian, MCES; Mark Havens, sixth grade assistant football coach, MCMS; Ryan O'Neal, girls' assistant basketball coach, MCHS; Chrystal Rudd, girls' as-

sistant basketball coach, MCHS; Kayla Patrick, academic team coach, MCHS; Alice Havens McWain, yearbook supervisor, MCHS; Robert Lee Armstrong, chess coach, MCHS; Will Noble, assistant football coach, MCHS; Heath Bartley, interim boys' head golf coach, MCHS.

#### Substitutes

Pam Conley, Vickie Allen, Jessica Peak, Douglas Stamper, Catrina Roberts, John Elliott, Jacob Ross, Jonathan Deaton, Janice Vance, Jeff Lykins, Lora Felton, Jonathan Lawson, Rebecca Jenkins and Patricia Adams.

#### Volunteers

Tim Hanson, boys' golf team, MCHS; Heath Bartley, boys' golf team, MCHS; Corey Evans, assistant cross country coach, MCHS; Justin Daniels, girls' assistant basketball coach, MCHS.

#### Resignations

Chris Trusty, head golf coach, MCHS; Roberta Fugett, substitute teacher, district.

Extra Duty ESS/21st Century Co-Coordinator

Sherrironica Thomas and Shana Reed, EVES.

Extra Duty 21st CCLC

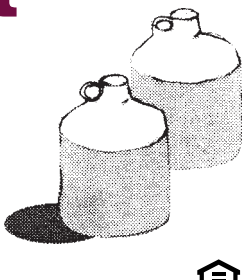
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Wife, Tammy and Staff



# News Of Record

**CLARIFICATION**  
The Stella Johnson whose name appeared in a recent court docket is not Stella Johnson who lives at Adele.

**CIRCUIT COURT**  
New civil cases – Ronnie Dean McDowell vs. Pelisa Basan McDowell, Sept. 11; Citimortgage, Inc. vs. Blanche Howard et al, Sept. 14; DH Capital Management, Inc. vs. Carolyn K. Bishop, Sept. 16.

**DISTRICT COURT**  
New civil cases – DH Capital Management Inc. vs. Eugene R. Springborn, Sept. 14; Whitney E. Morgan vs. Justin M. Morgan, Sept. 14; Janaye C. Coffee vs. Justin L. Osborne, Sept. 14; Rayann Holbrook vs. Scotty J. Jones, Sept. 14.

New small claims cases – Melissa Blevins vs. Johnson Appraisal Co., Sept. 11.

**ARRAIGNMENTS**  
Adam Abrams – possession of marijuana – pled guilty, \$200.

Hager Adkins Jr. – operating on suspended/revoked operator's license – pled guilty, \$100; reckless driving – pled guilty, \$50.

Chris W. Blankenship – failure to wear seatbelts, failure to produce insurance card – failed to appear.

Terry Blankenship – alcohol intoxication in a public place – pled guilty, \$50.

Kyle B. Clay – public intoxication by a controlled substance – pled guilty, \$50.

Larry B. Collins – speeding 15 mph over limit, failure of non-owner operator to maintain required insurance, operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs – pre-trial conference Sept. 22.

John D. Elam II – public intoxication by a controlled substance – pled guilty, \$50.

Kevin Hamilton – failure to wear seatbelts – pled guilty, \$25; operating on suspended/revoked operator's license – pled guilty, \$100.

Steven L. Howard – criminal mischief (second degree) – pre-trial conference Sept. 29.

Samuel Hutchinson – failure to wear seatbelts – paid in full.

Joshua A. Legg – speeding 20 mph over limit, failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security – failed to appear, bench warrant issued.

Rachel Martin – speeding 15 mph over limit – failed to appear.

Michael T. Moore – failure to wear seatbelts – pled guilty, \$25; license to be in possession – pled guilty, \$50.

David W. Pennington – failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security – pled guilty, \$500.

Roy A. Rice – failure to wear personal flotation device – case diverted one year.

Kesia N. Whitt – public intoxication by a controlled substance – pled guilty, \$50.

Jean Ann Willhoite – failure to wear seatbelts, reckless driving, failure to notify address change to department of transportation, failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security, possession of an open alcohol beverage container in a motor vehicle, resisting arrest, operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs – pre-trial conference Nov. 17.

Jonathan L. Woods – driving on DUI-suspended operator's license (first offense), failure to notify address change to department of transportation, failure to wear seatbelts – rescheduled Oct. 27.

Janet T. Young – public intoxication by a controlled substance – pled guilty, \$50.

Omar Young Jr. – operating on suspended/revoked operator's license – rescheduled Sept. 22.

Jason Caskey – public intoxication by a controlled substance – pled guilty, \$50.

Preliminary hearing – Chasity Caudill – theft by unlawful taking under \$300 – pled guilty, 365 days.

Pre-trial conference – Carolyn Hillerbrand – operating on suspended/revoked operator's license – rescheduled Nov. 17.

Preliminary hearing – Carolyn Hillerbrand – flagrant non-support – rescheduled Nov. 17.

Joshua L. Stevens – theft by unlawful taking (auto), criminal mischief (two counts, first degree) – preliminary hearing Sept. 22.

Krin Triplett – operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs – pled guilty, \$350, loss of license for 12 months.

Tabitha M. Young – theft by unlawful taking (shoplifting) – pre-trial conference Sept. 20.

Tabitha M. Young – no/expired Kentucky registration receipt, no/expired registration plates, failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security, obstructed vision and/or windshield, failure to wear seatbelts, driving on DUI-suspended license (first offense), failure to register transfer of a motor vehicle – pre-trial conference Sept. 22.

Pre-trial conference – Steven

Ball – operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs, endangering the welfare of a minor – rescheduled Oct. 27.

Pre-trial conference – Larry B. Collins – conspiracy to trafficking in marijuana (first offense; less than 8 oz.) – rescheduled Sept. 22.

Pre-trial conference – Dale Hammons – assault (two counts; fourth degree domestic violence, minor injury), resisting arrest – rescheduled Oct. 27.

Pre-trial conference – Kevin Haney – theft by deception including cold checks under \$300 – rescheduled Sept. 29.

Pre-trial conference – Kevin R. Haney – theft by deception including cold checks under \$300 – rescheduled Sept. 29.

Pre-trial conference – Jamie Harper – falsely reporting an incident – jury trial Nov. 11.

Pre-trial conference – Franklin D. Harvey – public intoxication by a controlled substance – case diverted for 12 months.

Pre-trial conference – Tammy L. Lewis – assault (fourth degree domestic violence) – rescheduled Oct. 27.

Pre-trial conference – Joyce Reed – operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs – pled guilty, \$200, loss of license for 90 days.

Pre-trial conference – Timothy Reed – license to be in possession, operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs, possession of a controlled substance (third degree, second offense; drug unspecified), controlled substance prescription not in original container – rescheduled Nov. 3.

Pre-trial conference – James Rupe – failure to wear seatbelts, license to be in possession, operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs – jury trial Nov. 11.

Pre-trial conference – Jamie Rupe – operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs, one headlight, failure to or improper signal, failure to notify address change to department of transportation – rescheduled Nov. 3.

Pre-trial conference – Lenore Stafford – theft by deception including cold checks under \$300 – pled guilty, \$50.

Pre-trial conference – Natasha Stahley – public intoxication by a controlled substance – pled guilty, \$50.

Pre-trial conference – John Raymond Vest – criminal trespassing (third degree) – rescheduled Sept. 29.

Pre-trial conference – John R. Woodward II – terroristic threatening (third degree) – pled guilty, 10 days.

Court trial – Marcus Ferguson – possession of an open alcohol beverage container – order entered.

## PROPERTY TRANSFERS

Nellie K. Johnson and Charles J. Johnson to Christopher D. Johnson, 75 acres, more or less, on the waters of Grassy Creek, on Gibson Branch, love and affection.

Danny Wright, James A. Wright and Linda Caudill to Lewis Junior Wright, land located on the waters of Paint Creek and on Lacy Creek, \$1 and other good and valuable consideration.

Ruth Nickell to Linda Nickell Bush and Phyllis Nickell Hurt, 1 acre, more or less, on the waters of Black Oak Creek, beginning at the right of way of the Wellington-Pomeroyton Road, \$1 plus love and affection.

Russell O. Friend and Heidi A. Friend to Bhagavat Commune, Inc., 30 acres of North Fork of the Licking River, \$83,000.

Asa M. Vest and Rita to David Campbell II and Rebecca Miller Campbell, 2 1/2 acres, more or less, on Water Street, \$110,000.

Daniel Joseph Prater to James Festus Prater, 2/24 undivided interest of 67 acres, more or less, beginning at the south margin of the Mountain Parkway right-of-way near the Wolfe and Morgan County lines, \$4,500.

Carol Prater Lindon and Lynn B. Lindon to James Festus Prater, 1/24 undivided interest, same description as above, \$2,250.

David Lee Prater and Martha to John Paul Prater, 7/24th undivided interest in 67 acres, more or less, beginning at the south margin of the Mt. Parkway right of way near the Wolfe and Morgan County lines, \$15,750.

Charlene Prater McDonald and Greg to James Festus Prater, 1/24th undivided interest in the (same description as prev 3), \$2,250.

Michelle McKenzie, Theodore Mitchell and Thelma Mitchell to Angela Gibbs, land located in West Liberty on Glenn Avenue, \$53,000.

Eddie Davis and Marcella to Farish Collins and Diane, 1 acre, more or less, on Hwy. 191, near H.C. Prater line, \$16,000.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

Randy Williams, Morgan County Court Clerk, has issued the following marriage licenses.

Ramona A. Cantrell, 45, of West Liberty, daughter of Bertha Jewel Bolin Knox and Willie Ray Brewer, to Darrell Bolin, 51, of West Liberty, son of Lillie Maggie Wright Bolin and Delmer Bolin.

## Kellacey

### Sandra Carpenter-Conway

Sept. 21 — I hope everyone is doing well and enjoying this beautiful weather we are having. I suppose everyone is getting ready for the Sorghum Festival. Let's hope the weather holds out for the festival.

Visitors of Barbara Carpenter have been Tamara Carpenter (she spent several days while on vacation), Perry, Sandra, and Harold.

Harold Goodpaster and Perry Conway were in Winchester on Thursday on business and visited with Venus at the nursing home. Venus isn't doing very well at this time.

I talk by internet to my sister-in-law, Brenda Carpenter of Mt. Sterling. She said they were getting along good. She had to have knee injections on her knee.

Visitors of Perry and Sandra have been Jr. Goodpaster and granddaughter, Rachel. Good to have them and come back soon.

A big appreciation goes out to Jr. Goodpaster for having some dozer work done on the road to the Goodpaster cemetery and making a place to drive and turn. It looks so much better. Thanks for the work. The family is truly grateful.

I got to talk with Mary Barnett at the estate sale of Woodford Cox. Good to see her. She is still having problems with her arm she broke back in the summer.

Thank you, Alpha Clevenger, for the comments about the Kellacy news.

Sept 19 was the birthday of my late brother, Keith Carpenter. We truly miss him. He passed away from cancer.

Happy birthday goes out to my brother, Kendall Carpenter, on Sept 28, and also his grandson, Isaac Conner on Sept 22.

I would like to send a Hello out to family in Newark, Ohio. Hope you are doing well and enjoying the paper.

Harold Goodpaster was in Morehead for a couple of doctor visits this week.

Sandra, Perry and Harold Goodpaster ventured out to yard sales on Saturday. We went up 172 to the Caskey Sale.

Gail Bailey of Miamiurg, Ohio, was visiting this week-end with Cecil Cole of Ezel. They came down to the old homeplace of Gail Bailey's and looked around. They stopped at the home of Harold Goodpaster and visited for a while, and Perry and Sandra were there also. I had not seen Mr. Bailey since I was a child. And good to see Cecil Cole. Hhe used to be my bus driver years ago when in school.

Liz and Greg Phipps were visited by Harold Goodpaster on Saturday evening.

On Saturday evening the writer and Perry drove through Frenchburg and they were having an old classic car show. They had many beautiful old cars.

It won't be long until the Court Days Festival in Mt. Sterling, also they have this at Preston next to Owingsville. And don't forget the Wooly Worm Festival in Beattyville. They always have a great classic car show.

Mary Long got to attend the Toms Branch Church monthly dinner and singing. Mary resides in the nursing home in Campton.

I'd like to send get well wishes out to Jerry Muncie of Arkansas. He will be having knee surgery soon, I hope all goes well with the



## Carrie Shaver was a popular fixture at Sorghum Fest for many years

Mrs. Carrie Shaver shown at her spinning wheel at the 1984 Sorghum Festival. Mr. Shaver was a popular fixture under the festival's "big top" for many years. Photo is from the Lanny Franklin Collection.

procedure.

Hello to Carolyn Montgomery. Hope you are doing well and on the mend.

I hope everyone will enjoy the Sorghum Festival, and that we have nice weather and no rain.

Until next time, feel free to call if you have news to report @ 725-4186

### MORGAN SORGHUM COOKIES

3 1/2 cups flour  
1/2 cup sugar  
2 tsp. soda  
2 tsp. ginger  
1 tsp. cinnamon  
3/4 tsp. salt  
1/2 cup shortening  
1 egg

1 cup molasses  
1/3 cup boiling water  
1 Tbsp. vinegar  
Mix dry ingredients. Add remaining ingredients. Beat 2 minutes at medium speed with mixer. Drop by tablespoons on greased baking sheet. (Add flour if batter is not stiff.) Bake about 12 minutes at 375 degrees.





Hints: For a juicer hamburger, add cold water to the beef before grilling (1/2 cup to 1 pound of meat).

Hints: When boiling corn, add sugar instead of salt. Salt will toughen the corn.

Hints: Do not use soda to keep vegetables green. It destroys Vitamin C.

# ABSOLUTE ESTATE AUCTION

## 460+/- Acres by Boundary Deed's



**GREAT LOCATION!!**  
**ONE OF A KIND PROPERTY!!**

**SAT. OCTOBER 3rd, 2009 @ 1:30 p.m.**

This is a rare opportunity to buy a one of a kind boundary of land. It's been quite some time since a property of this nature has come available with this location. The Rose estate has owned these properties for many years. The property has a great location at Bethesda Mission Rd at the community of Vortex, KY. off Hwy # 15 East of Campton about 2 and a half miles. The property has a County Road through part of it and other roads and or foot trails which have been opened for viewing. The property has 3 ponds one of which is made by beavers. There are branches on the property with upper Devils Creek flowing through part of the property. The property also has 2 water falls one of which is about 15 feet the other is about 4 feet along with stair drop falls down Devils Creek. The property has some of the most amazing and wonderful views and scenery. There is lots of wildlife on the property from deer, squirrel, rabbit and many other animals. The property has a large assortment of vegetation and trees from ferns, rhododendron, hemlock, pine oak and many other species. The property also could possibly have a timber harvest ready in the next 6 to 8 years. The property has a few rock shelters and down Devils Creek there are solid rock bottoms and rock out croppings along the banks. Devils Creek eventually flows into the KY River. This property is about 20 minutes from the Red River Gorge and 30 from Natural Bridge State Park



The property has about 50 to 60 acres in what could be reclaimed as pasture with possibly a additional 20 to 30 acres. The potential pasture land has part of which is from a reclamation strip mine that was completed in the mid to late 70's. The balance of the property is in woodland. You must see this property to really appreciate what it is and the many potentials it has. This property could be used as a weekend retreat for camping, hunting, horse back riding, ATV riding, or other activities. The property could be subdivide and sold for smaller parcels, kept for a investment, or used for a business. There are numerous home, cabin, or camping sites on the property. The only improvements on the property is a old log house and a barn. A large part of the property has boundary line fences. All mineral rights are in tact. We will be selling the property as a whole by the boundaries deeds descriptions and not by the acre or survey. It will be the potential buyer or buyers responsibly to inspect the property. The property and the improvements are and will be sold "As Is."

**TERMS and CONDITIONS:** \$25,000 Down Payment due on the day of sale, balance on or before 30 days maximum. A bank letter of deposit for funds with personal check will be required and or certified check or cashers check for the deposit. The property will be sold by the boundaries not by the acre or survey. All inspections will and shall be the responsibility of the potential buyer or buyers including Lead Based Paint. Prospective buyers will be permitted to conduct a lead base paint test on the property during the 10 day period proceeding the auction. Property and Improvements will be sold "AS IS" with no warranties or guarantees implied or written. Complete and Final Terms and Conditions will be announced the day of sale.

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**Help for the animal shelter**

Ms. Michelle McCarty's fifth grade class, above, at West Liberty Elementary recently sponsored a food and toy drive for the local animal shelter. The fifth graders encouraged all classes to donate needed items for the dogs and puppies awaiting adoption. Students in grades K-5 eagerly responded by bringing in dog food, puppy chow, toys, newspapers, and cleaning supplies. Mrs. Vickie Stacy, fifth from right in back row, was pleased to receive the supplies on behalf of the animals, and encourages everyone to donate items, volunteer at the shelter, or better yet – foster or adopt a pet. Ms. McCarty's class would also like to challenge other county schools to help the local shelter by sponsoring their own food and toy drives.

**Now is good time to check your chimney for safety**

With record-setting home heating prices anticipated this autumn and winter, efficiency is at the forefront this year. As many homeowners address their financial concerns by turning to solid fuel appliances, like wood or pellet stoves, the Chimney Safety Institute of America (CSIA) sends the reminder that the new heating patterns, including an increase in solid-fuel use, have the potential to increase the risk of carbon monoxide poison-

ing and chimney fires.

According to the most recent statistics from the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA), chimneys and chimney connectors accounted for the largest share (36%) of home heating fire incidents in 2005, with "failure to clean" accounting for two-thirds of those fires.

Responsible operation of heating appliances calls for annual maintenance. Surprisingly few homeowners realize that the

chimneys venting their furnaces,, water heaters and stoves, as well as the fireplace in the living room, need to be inspected by a qualified professional each year.

The most recent estimates available from the Consumer Product Safety Commission show an average of 25,700 residential structural fires related to fireplaces, chimneys and chimney connectors resulting in 30 deaths and \$827 million in property losses annually.

In addition to encouraging that chimneys and vents be inspected on an annual basis and maintained as needed to reduce the risk of fires and carbon monoxide poisoning due to creosote buildup or obstructions in the chimney, the CSIA also recommends the following winter heating safety tips:

- Ensure that new appliances are installed with the correct venting components as defined by the manufacturer.
- Install a carbon monoxide detector on every level of the home.
- Check smoke alarms. Replace batteries in both smoke detectors and carbon monoxide detectors when clocks are reset for Daylight Savings Time.

For further information on chimney and venting safety, chimney inspections, what to expect when you hire a CSIA Certified Chimney Sweep and to locate a CSIA Certified Chimney Sweep, homeowners are encouraged to visit [www.CSIA.org](http://www.CSIA.org) or call 800-536-0118.

Article courtesy of Morgan County Emergency Management Office.

**MSU slates Open House for students and their families**

MOREHEAD, Ky.—Morehead State University's Office of Enrollment Services will host an Open House on Saturday, Oct. 3, from 9 a.m. until noon. The events will be held in the Adron Doran University Center on the Morehead campus.

According to Enrollment Services, the Open House events will provide an opportunity for students and families to discover why MSU has been named one of "America's Best Colleges" by U.S. News and World Report for the sixth year running.

University representatives will be available to meet students and families, answer questions, lead campus tours and share information concerning college life.

"Our goal is to make it convenient to get answers to questions about starting college by bringing deans, department chairs and faculty from our academic programs, as well as staff from admissions, financial aid, housing and many more services together in one place," said Holly Pollock, assistant director of enrollment services. "Families will hear success stories about our graduates



**Open House at West Liberty Elementary**

West Liberty Elementary School celebrated the new school year with an Open House on August 3. Over 300 were in attendance! After Principal Vickie Oldfield addressed the crowd and introduced staff, everyone was invited to a delicious meal in the cafeteria. Parents and students were welcomed into the classrooms to browse and meet teachers. The WLES staff is looking forward to a wonderful and productive year.

and learn some statistics that demonstrate the academic quality offered at MSU."

On one such measure of success, MSU graduates are consistently accepted into professional schools, including medical, dental and pharmacy programs, at rates well above state and national averages.

Students and families are encouraged to register for the Open House. To learn more about this event or to complete an online registration card, you may visit [www.moreheadstate.edu/openhouse](http://www.moreheadstate.edu/openhouse). Or call 606-783-2000 or 800-585-6781.

and winter berries and nesting sites for songbirds," said John Rosenow, chief executive of the Foundation. "They will also add to the proud heritage of Kentucky's 37 Tree City USA communities. For more than 30 years, Tree City USA has supported community forestry across Kentucky, and planting these trees will make this tree-planting tradition even stronger."

The trees will be shipped post-paid at the right time for planting, between Oct. 15 and Dec. 10. The 6-to-12 inch trees are guar-

anteed to grow or they will be replaced free of charge. Planting instructions are enclosed with each shipment of trees.

New members of the Arbor Day Foundation also receive *The Tree Book*, which includes information about tree planting and care.

To receive the 10 free trees, send a \$10 membership contribution to Ten Trees, Arbor Day Foundation, 100 Arbor Ave., Nebraska City, NE 68410, by Sept. 30, 2009, or join online at [www.arborday.org](http://www.arborday.org).

**PROPERTY FOR SALE**

This property offers a house with 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, large eat in kitchen with appliances, large living room, extra large closets, central heat and air, vinyl siding and metal roof. This house is only 4 years old and is situated on 7 acres, more or less, also includes 3 outbuildings. This property is located only minutes from West Liberty. Only 2 minutes from the new elementary school.



Four bedrooms, 2 baths, brick home, full basement, carport, large garage, kitchen w/appliances. just off Hwy. 519. Asking \$95,000.

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(Basement of Old MCHS)**

**Please attend....it won't be the same without  
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**GOT POPCORN?**

**Support Cub Scouts. Buy popcorn!**

Through October 31, **local Scouts** from Cub Scout Pack 111 will be knocking on doors, setting up booths and asking citizens to buy popcorn, **please say yes**. Your support will help Pack 111 fund annual scouting activities such as camping, crafts, field trips and community projects. **Buy popcorn** from a Cub Scout today!

**Cub Scout Pack 111**  
West Liberty, KY  
For more information please call  
Shannon Elam, Cubmaster, 743-4648  
Amanda Lykins, Popcorn Kernel 743-2163





Meet the MCHS Dance Team

The Morgan County High School and 21st Century would like to introduce the MCHS Dance Team. Currently the team has 19 members and is coached by Cindy Wells and Margaret Jenkins. The team meets on Tuesdays and Thursdays after school, 3:30 to 5:15. snacks and transportation are provided by 21st Century. A special thanks to Patty Gilliam, Sonya Nickell, Keith Holbrook and 21st Century for all the support. If you would like to join the dance team or for more information please contact Cindy Wells, 743-8052. Shown above, front row, left to right, Danielle Jenkins, Jessie Bates, Tara Vance, Chelsea Conley, Audra Smith, Heather Roman. Second row, Kelly Gilliam, Courtney Baker, Anna Cook, Tiffany Keeton, Terri Tipton, Kayla King, Ashley Vance. Third row, Kim Stacy, Randa Nickell, Shelby Nickell, Briana Risner. (Not pictured: Kayla Jordan and Shana Smith).

Minutes from Sept. 9 fiscal court meeting are recorded

The minutes from the Morgan County Fiscal Court meeting conducted on Wednesday, Sept. 9, read as follows:

Members present – Magistrates Denzil Potter, Randy Cantrell, Stanley Riggsby and Frankie Spencer, and Judge Executive Tim Conley.

- Motion made by Frankie Spencer and seconded by Randy Cantrell to adopt the agenda as presented with the addition of items 7a and 16a.  
*Vote: unanimous yea.*
- Motion made by Randy Cantrell and seconded by Denzil Potter to approve the minutes of the last meeting.  
*Vote: unanimous yea.*
- Magistrate Burton Stacy arrived at 5:37 p.m.
- County Treasurer Tommy Phipps presented the financial statement to Aug. 31, 2009, and cash statement to date.
- Motion made by Burton Stacy and seconded by Denzil Potter to ratify the voucher claims register 02-0015.  
*Vote: unanimous yea.*
- Motion made by Frankie Spencer and seconded by Denzil Potter to ratify the voucher claims register for the bills from Aug. 13, 2009, through Sept. 8, 2009.  
*Vote: unanimous yea.*
- Motion made by Burton Stacy and seconded by Randy Cantrell to approve the interfund cash transfers as presented.  
*Vote: unanimous yea.*
- Motion made by Stanley Riggsby and seconded by Frankie Spencer to approve the budget transfers as presented.  
*Vote: unanimous yea.*
- County Treasurer Tommy Phipps presented the first reading of budget amendment #4 in the amount of \$97,610.95.
- Motion made by Burton Stacy and seconded by Randy

Cantrell to meet the statutory maximum pay for 2008 for the county clerk due to an error that shorted the salary by \$3,525.  
*Vote: unanimous yea.*

- Motion made by Randy Cantrell and seconded by Burton Stacy to extend Neal Ball Road and authorize the county attorney to prepare the deed with the description provided by the judge executive.  
*Vote: unanimous yea.*
- Motion made by Frankie Spencer and seconded by Denzil Potter to pay Stanley Fizer, Inc. for invoices dated Aug. 13, 2009, for work performed at the courthouse and request reimbursement from AOC.  
*Vote: unanimous yea.*
- Motion made by Frankie Spencer and seconded by Randy Cantrell to approve the purchase order and pay invoices for the women’s military memorial with LGEDF funds.  
*Vote: unanimous yea.*
- Motion made by Denzil Potter and seconded by Burton Stacy to increase all county employees’ hourly rate by \$0.21 per hour, and raise Terry Penix to the same rate as the rest of the road department to be effective at the next pay period, and increase the county attorney’s employees by \$35 per month to take effect Sept. 1, 2009.  
*Vote: unanimous yea.*
- Motion made by Frankie Spencer and seconded by Denzil Potter to authorize the use of county employees and county equipment as needed for the 2009 Sorghum Festival.  
*Vote: unanimous yea.*
- Motion made by Burton Stacy and seconded by Frankie Spencer to approve up to \$300 for fall decorations for the front of the county office building.  
*Vote: unanimous yea.*
- Motion made by Randy

Cantrell and seconded by Denzil Potter to enter a contract with KACO for \$475,000 on the first contract and \$325,000 on the second contract for road projects and authorize the judge executive to sign all necessary documents and contact Hinkle after the state notifies the county on their project loans.  
*Vote: unanimous yea.*

- Motion made by Burton Stacy and seconded by Frankie Spencer to acknowledge Trick-Or-Treat night as Friday, Oct. 30, 2009.  
*Vote: unanimous yea.*
- Motion made by Frankie Spencer and seconded by Burton Stacy to approve the purchase orders and invoices as presented.  
*Vote: unanimous yea.*
- Motion made by Frankie Spencer and seconded by Randy Cantrell to enter into executive session to discuss legal issues.  
*Vote: unanimous yea.*
- Motion made by Frankie Spencer and seconded by Burton Stacy to return to regular session.  
*Vote: unanimous yea.*
- Motion made by Burton Stacy and seconded by Frankie Spencer to authorize the judge executive to sing a dual representation document authorizing the county attorney to represent Dr. E. Ward and the Morgan County Fiscal Court in a property tax matter.  
*Vote: unanimous yea.*
- Motion made by Randy Cantrell and seconded by Denzil Potter to authorize the county attorney to negotiate litigation issues with Taxease Lein Investment Co. and file responses as necessary.  
*Vote: unanimous yea.*
- Motion made by Burton Stacy and seconded by Frankie Spencer to adjourn.  
*Vote: unanimous yea.*



Clarence Kelly Festival Cornhole Tourn. winners

Included in activities at the Clarence Kelly Homecoming Festival, held August 6, 7, and 8, on the Smith Creek Hill, was a corn hole tournament. First place winners were Phillip Harmon and Bobby Harmon, shown above at left, along with Clarence Kelly. Second place went to Ricky Peyton and Chris Peyton, above right, and third place winners were Mikey Fyffe and Michael Fyffe, lower right. The three-day festival was well attended and all in attendance enjoyed outstanding performances by all the musicians. Many thanks to all businesses and individuals who helped financially or by volunteering their time to make this an enjoyable weekend for all.



Perfect attendance for August at East Valley Elementary School

The following East Valley Elementary School students have achieved perfect attendance for the first month of the new school year:

Emily Adkins, Carrigan C. Bailey, Thomas H. Bailey, Elizabeth J. Ball, Kimberly A. Ball, Macee D. Ball, Chandler B. Basham, Kristen L. Beculhimer, Abigaile R. Blackburn, Gabrielle J. Blackburn, Joseph A. Blackburn, Stacie R. Blackburn, Vertis E. Blanton, Alexis A. Bolin, Faith S. Bolin, Gary D. Bolin, Jacob D. Bolin, Spencer D. Bolin, Amber D. Britton, Autumn J. Brown, Caleb J. Brown, James K. Bussell;

Amber L. Cantrell, Brian D. Cantrell, Clayton C. Cantrell, Emily D. Cantrell, Emily E. Cantrell, Jacob H. Cantrell, Logan K. Cantrell, Robert K. Cantrell, Tyler A. Cantrell, Leighann N. Cheek, Laura I. Childers, Barry D. Collins, Kally M. Collins, Jerry C. Dalton, Richard S. Dalton, Abigail G. Daniel, Jamie-lynn D. Daniel, James A. Doolin, Madison L. Dulen;

Natasha J. Fannin, Carla N.

Felton, Emily M. Felton, Andrea G. Gibson, Connor R. Gilliam, Joseph A. Gilliam, Whitney D. Gilliam, Braydon W. Gullett, Cody D. Hammonds, Autumn J. Harvey, Autumn L. Helton, Samantha E. Helton, William P. Hembree, Timothy P. Hemmelgarn, Jacob E. Holbrook, Maddison G. Holbrook, Brandon W. Howard, Nicole Howard, William D. Howard, Braxton C. Hunley, Dalton V. Hunley, Lance E. Hunley, Logan C. Hunley;

Jacob T. Jenkins, Arthur D. Keeton, Brittany E. Keeton, Cassandra D. Keeton, Emily F. Keeton, Franklin C. Keeton, Hanna M. Keeton, Harrison W. Keeton, James D. Keeton, Jason W. Keeton, Jeremy I. Keeton, Lindsay K. Keeton, Shelton M. Keeton, Victoria H. Keeton, Luther E. Kimbler, Tony R. Kimbler, Dillon J. Lewis, Lauren D. Lewis, Garet W. Loudermilk, Mahala F. Martin, McKenzie C. Mayse, Franklin L. McKenzie, Harley A. McKenzie, Johnathan D. McKenzie, Austin C. Murphy, Kaleigh F. Murphy, Colin S.

Murray;

Kaleigh M. Newsome, Braden S. Nickell, Asa C. O’Neal, Carlee M. O’Neal, Cameron R. Pack, Elec K. Pack, Jay C. Pack, Haley B. Payton, Katie M. Pennington, Jacob D. Perry, Shelby P. Perry, Katrina Peters, Montana L. Peters, Jarrett M. Price, Madison L. Price, Summer G. Robbins, Christopher L. Robinson, Dakota R. Rose, Morgan L. Rose, Zachary B. Ross;

Dakota L. Salyer, Destany C. Salyer, Jonathon M. Sams, Jordan T. Smith, Kaitlyn L. Smith, Tyler S. Smith, Madison D. Sparks, James K. Stakelin, Julia M. Stanley, Derek A. Stevens, Whitney N. Sturgill, Samuel C. Tharp, Jimmie T. Trujillo, Timothy M. Vance;

Lucas C. Wagers, Sarah G. Wagers, Dakota I. Watson, Kaylee J. Welch, Cami L. Wright, Jacob E. Wright, Jala D. Wright, Joseph Wright, Josephine L. Wright, Joshua A. Wright, Justin E. Wright, Chloe Y. Young, Jacob N. Young and Makaylah A. Young.



Morgan Student a winner

Shawn Pack from West Liberty won an MP3 player, donated by Walmart, during the UNITE Youth Summit in Prestonsburg Thursday, September 17. Approximately 2,900 students attended the event. Pack is pictured with UNITE’s masco,t “Freedom,” the eagle.

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West Liberty Elementary, Thursday, October 15 from 5:00-7:00

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POEM

Does God hurt when I hurt? I am quite sure He does. For God is in sympathy with His children He loves. I know God felt much pain, when Jesus died for me. There are times I want to complain because I am not pain free. Jesus did not take my pain when He took my sins away. But Jesus did give me the grace to bear pain

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day by day. Jesus said, my grace is sufficient and I have found this true. Every account I read about Him my Savior suffered too. Suffering never kept my Lord, from dying for my sin and I believe with all my heart Jesus would do it all again. How would I know when others hurt if I did not feel pain? How could I ever sympathize when one who hurt complain? How could I understand their grief? And the sorrow that they go through. If I never felt their pain and felt their sorrow, too. So I am sure God feels their pain and helps us bear the load, and clears away the pitfalls, upon our daily road.



**Pack 111 Flag Ceremony for Kiwanis Club**  
West Liberty Cub Scout Pack 111 opened the dedication ceremony for the Kiwanis Club picnic shelter at the Kiwanis Treadway Park. Attending this event were numerous Morgan County Kiwanis members, Paintsville Kiwanis members, and the Governor of Tennessee/Kentucky Kiwanis. The scouts opened the ceremony with the presentation of the United States Flag and led the group in the Pledge of Allegiance.



**New species?**  
Direl Fyffe, of Isonville, found a new species of snake in his garden. He named it the Cucumber Snake!



Student representatives from Morehead State University, second from left, Christopher Hanson, Morgan County; Corey Ricketts, Wolfe County; and Brandon Muncy of Leslie County joined students from 15 colleges and universities at a Collegiate Summit on Sept. 18 at The Center for Rural Development in Somerset, Ky. hosted by The Center's Higher Education Consortium. Joining them are, front row, from left, Morehead State University faculty member Mike Wallace, students, U.S. Congressman Harold "Hal" Rogers, (KY-05), and Morehead State University faculty member Dr. Michael Hail. Standing on the back row, from left, Lonnie Lawson, president and CEO of The Center for Rural Development; and JP Blevins. Rogers and Blevins, a former University of Kentucky basketball player and motivational speaker, were the keynote speakers at the event, which brought college students from across the region together to discuss issues contributing to the out-migration of some of the best and brightest in Southern and Eastern Kentucky. The summit was funded by the Appalachian Regional Commission (ARC)



Student representatives from Union College Sarah Dunaway, Jackson County, and Nate Peyton of Morgan County joined students from 15 colleges and universities at a Collegiate Summit on Sept. 18 at The Center for Rural Development in Somerset, Ky. hosted by The Center's Higher Education Consortium. Union College representatives and program participants are, front row, from left, faculty member Gabriella Mellendorf, student Sarah Dunaway, U.S. Congressman Harold "Hal" Rogers, (KY-05), and student Nate Peyton; back row, from left, faculty member Tom McFarland; Lonnie Lawson, president and CEO of The Center for Rural Development, and JP Blevins. Rogers and Blevins, a former University of Kentucky basketball player and motivational speaker, were the keynote speakers at the event, which brought college students from across the region together to discuss issues contributing to the out-migration of some of the best and brightest in Southern and Eastern Kentucky. The summit was funded by the Appalachian Regional Commission (ARC).



**Cub Scout Pack 111 at Relay for Life**  
Cub Scout Pack 111 opened the 2009 Relay for Life Ceremony at the Morgan County Equestrian Park. The Pack 111 color guard presented the American Flag and led the crowd in the Pledge of Allegiance.



**Presenting the Colors**  
Boys from Morgan County Scout Troop 109 opened the July 4th patriotic ceremony on Main Street. The boys presented the American Flag and led the crowd in the Pledge of Allegiance. The color guard was made up of both Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts.

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## Free Smoking Cessation classes being offered

FREE Smoking Cessation classes starting Thursday, May 7, at 4:30 p.m., at the Morgan County ARH Hospital in the Administrative Conference Room on the second floor. Classes will continue every Thursday for 12 consecutive weeks.  
C-5-7-tf

## Blackwater Vol. Fire Dept. Pig Roast Oct. 3

Blackwater Volunteer Fire Department will have their 6th annual pig roast fundraiser Saturday, October 3. Roast pork, soup beans, etc. served from 4 to 6 p.m. \$5 adults, \$2 ages 12 and under. Auction beginning at 6 p.m. Corn hole tournament beginning at noon, \$10 per team. Cash award. Come join us!  
C-9-10-3t

## MCHS Class of 1959 reunion set Sept. 26th

Morgan County High School class of 1959 will hold its 50th class reunion on Saturday, September 26, at 7 p.m., at the West Liberty Christian Church, located at the corner of Broadway and Prestonsburg Streets. Cost will be \$10 per individual or \$20 per couple. For information, contact Kiser Elam at (606) 325-9542, or Judy Trusty Klawetter at (606) 743-2613. We hope to see you on Sept. 26!  
C-9-3-4t

## Blenko Glass tour slated October 15

There will be a tour of Blenko Glass, in Milton, West Virginia, on Thursday, Oct. 15. Call the Extension Office to pre-register and secure your spot on the van.  
C-9-3-4t

## Women's Health Fair slated October 22nd

A Women's Health Fair is slated for Thursday, October 22, at Morgan County Health Department. The fair is for women ages 40-64. Call for your appointment today at 743-7444. As about the Kentucky Women's Cancer Program, if income eligible, you may get a pap test and mammogram at a low cost or no cost at all. Please call and ask for details. Come out and join the fun! Call and make appointment today. The space for appointments are limited, so don't miss this wonderful opportunity. Events at the Health Fair: Free facials, free food and drink, and many more events.  
C-9-3-3t

## Extension service to host family activity Oct. 11th

The Extension Service will host family activity on Sunday, Oct. 11. Celebrate family activity on the second Sunday in October by joining us at Tredway Park for a family walk or other physical activity. This event will begin at 4 p.m.  
C-9-3-6t

## Licking River Area Triennial Fall meeting

Licking River Area Triennial Fall meeting will be Thursday, Oct. 8, at Montgomery County High School, in Mt. Sterling. Deadline to register is Monday, Sept. 28. Registration fee is \$13. The meeting will begin with registration from 5:30 to 6:00 p.m. the theme is KY... Our Home Sweet Home with guest speaker, Dave Shuffett, host of Kentucky Life. Stop by the Extension Office to pay your registration fees and plan to attend.  
C-9-3-4t

## Commercial Bank to be closed Saturday, Sept. 26

Commercial Bank will be closed Saturday, Sept. 26, for the Sorghum Festival.  
C-9-17-2t

## Camp meeting set at old Wrigley School Oct. 5-9

Lost Point Lake Pentecostal Church pastor, Bro. Garry Ferguson, and congregation will be hosting a camp meeting October 5-9, at the old Wrigley School building, at Wrigley. There will be three services each day--9:00 a.m., a mid-day service around noon, and an evening service at 7:30. On Friday night there will be a Bible play. Everyone invited and encouraged to attend.  
C-9-17-3t

## A Walk To Remember Oct. 11 at Old Mill Park

Struggling with the loss of a child? Please join us in Morgan County's second annual *A Walk To Remember* Sunday, Oct. 11, at 2 p.m., at Old Mill Park, West Liberty. A Day of Hope... A Day of Sharing... A Day of Remembrance. We dedicate this walk to the memory of a child.

Join us as we come together to support those in our community who face bearing the loss of a child. Let us recognize the much needed support for bereaved parents, family and friends who endure this pain. Let us reflect on the hopes and dreams for each child, and celebrate their memory. Let us hope that as each day passes, the pain will be somewhat more bearable.

If you would like more information or have questions, please contact: Tonya Nickles at 725-4446 or knickles@mrtc.com, or Marie Elam (606) 666-5793.

## Free health screening offered October 7th

St. Claire Regional will be offering free health screening, as part of their *Healthy Living Series*, from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 7 at the SCR Family Medical Supply store located in the Kroger Shopping Center across from Lowes in Morehead. Twana Hatton, DO, and Naga Perisetti, MD, will be available to answer health questions. Free health screenings will include: bone density, blood pressure, cholesterol, glucose, pulse rate and oxygen. Information on SCR mammography services will be available with diagnostic imaging staff to answer questions and schedule appointments. For more information, contact 606.783.6859.  
C-9-17-3t

## Future Focus:College/ Career planning at MCH

College/Career Planning Nights are scheduled at the MCHS Library as follows at 5:30 each evening:  
Sophomore Class — Thursday, Sept 10.  
Junior Class — Tuesday, Sept 15.  
Freshman Class — Tuesday, Sept 29.

All parents and students are invited! Planning workshop and tools to help students prepare for college, information about scholarships, ACT and PLAN tests, community and volunteer service. For more information contact Joanne Blair, 743-8056 or Alicia McClurg, 743-8072.  
C-9-10-3t

## Zag Ch. fundraiser for Diane Lewis is Oct. 2-3

There will be a yard and bake sale 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Friday, Oct. 2 and 8 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 3, at Zag Community Church. Proceeds from the sale will benefit Diane Lewis, daughter of Helen and Bernard Lewis, who suffered a stroke. The church will also be serving breakfast 8-11 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 3, to help with the benefit.

## Farm Bureau Annual Meeting set October 1

The annual meeting of the Morgan County Farm Bureau will be held Thursday, October 1, at 6:30 p.m., at the Morgan County Extension Office, in West Liberty.  
C-9-17-3t

## Fish and chicken fry set at Wells Chapel Ch. of God

There will be a fish and chicken fry at Wells Chapel Church of God, on Stacy Fork, Saturday, Oct. 10, beginning at 2 p.m. The pastor and congregation welcome everyone to attend.  
C-9-17-4t

## Revival at Salem Church is scheduled for Oct. 5-9

Bro. David Stamper will be in revival Monday-Friday, Oct. 5-9, at Salem Church in Buskirk. Services will begin at 7 p.m. Pastor Danny Collins and congregation invite everyone to attend.  
C-9-24-2T

## Singing at Zag Church is scheduled for Oct. 3

Jackie Smith and the Lyons family will be singing 7 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 3, at Zag Church. Refreshments will be served after the service. Donald Cox and congregation invite everyone to attend.  
C-9-24-2T

## Gospel singing at CountrySide Church

CountrySide Community Church has scheduled a gospel singing on Friday, Sept. 25, beginning at 7 p.m. The scheduled featured singers are The Angelic Singers. Refreshments will be served following the singing. Pastor James Hinton and congregation welcome all to come out and enjoy.

## Attention MCHS 2009 graduated seniors

2009 Morgan County High School graduated seniors: Did you get your senior yearbook? They're here!! Come to the high school at anytime during school hours and ask at the front office for Mrs. McWain. We have them in. If they are paid for just pick them up. If you would like one, but have not paid there are some extra for sale in Mrs. McWain's classroom for \$55.  
C-9-24-2t

## Services at Lick Branch Baptist Ch. this wkend

There will be worship services at Lick Branch Enterprise Baptist Church on Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 26 and 27. The business meeting begins at 6:30 p.m. Saturday, followed by worship service at 7 p.m.. Sunday morning service at 10:30 a.m., and every Sunday night at 6 p.m. Bro. Joe O. Jenkins, pastor, and Bro. George E. Barker, assistant pastor.

## Revival, homecoming at Trent 1st Church of God

There will be revival at Trent First Church of God starting Wednesday, Sept. 30, and continuing through Friday, Oct. 2, at 7 o'clock each evening, with Bro. Marvin Thomas preaching. There will be special singing each evening. The homecoming service will be conducted at 11 a.m. Sunday, Oct. 4. The Briscoe Family will be singing during this service. The pastor, Bro. David Stamper, and congregation invite everyone to attend.  
C-9-24-2t

## CSBG Regular Annual Plan is approved

Gateway Community Action's Community Services Block Grant (CSBG) Program's regular annual Plan and Budget for the 2009-2010 fiscal year was approved. CSBG is a statewide initiative sponsored by Community Action Kentucky in partnership with the Cabinet for Health and Family Services. The CSBG regular annual Plan and Budget is available for public inspection and comment at your local outreach office. Bath County (606) 674-2502, Menifee County (606) 768-2369, Montgomery County (859) 498-5345, Morgan County (606) 743-3133 or Rowan County (606) 784-7735.

## Allene Taulbee reunion slated Sunday, Oct. 4

The Allene Taulbee reunion will be Sunday, Oct. 4, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., at the Jeffersonville Community Park. Family and friends are invited.  
C-9-24-2t

## City Council meeting set Monday, Sept. 28

The West Liberty City Council will hold their regularly scheduled meeting Monday, Sept. 28, at 5 p.m., in the West Liberty City Hall Council Room, 565 Main Street, West Liberty. All meetings are open to the public.

## Tim Michaels to be at Jenny's Music Barn

Tim Michaels will be singing at Jenny's Music Barn, at Farmers, on Friday, Sept. 25. Music begins at 8 p.m. For additional information call (606) 784-9938.

## Household shower for Pack family set Oct. 3

A household shower will be given for Stevie and Betsy Pack, whose home was destroyed by fire recently. The shower will be Saturday, Oct. 3, at the Community Center conference room, in West Liberty, beginning at 5 p.m. If you have donations or questions please call 522-3003 or 522-3041. All donations will be greatly appreciated.  
C-9-24-2t

## Circuit Clerk's Office to close for Sorghum Fest.

Morgan County Circuit Court Clerk's office will be closed on Friday, Sept. 25, due to the annual Morgan County Sorghum Festival. Regular office hours will resume on Monday, Sept. 28.

## ITS ME AGAIN LORD

Lord, you give strength when I'm weary, comfort me when I am sad. You do so many things for me, that makes my heart glad. You open up your store house, and presented me the key. In every kind of conflict you bring sweet victory. I thank you Lord Jesus, for all this good you do, in joy or in sorrow I know I can depend on you. You are the healer of diseases, the savior of all sin. You can take the down and out, and make them whole again. Lord, I just want to praisie you, for your love so divine. I want the world to know Lord, you are the very best friend of mine!  
(Submitted by Alpha Clevenger)

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## Sign-up for new Conservation Stewardship Pgm.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Aug. 6--Tom Perrin, USDA's Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) State Conservationist in Kentucky, announced recently that a sign-up period has been announced for the new Conservation Stewardship Program (CSP). The program was authorized by the Food, Conservation, and Energy Act of 2008 (2008 Farm Bill).

CSP is a voluntary program that encourages agricultural and forestry producers to maintain existing conservation activities and adopt additional ones on their operations.

Unlike the Conservation Security Program under the 2002 Farm Bill which was available only in designated watersheds, the new Conservation Stewardship Program is available statewide. Interested land users may submit an application beginning August 10, 2009, at their local USDA Service Center. Although applications will be accepted on a continuous basis, a ranking cutoff has been scheduled for September 30, 2009. To apply for the new program, potential participants will be encouraged to use a self-screening checklist first to determine whether the new program is suitable for them or their operation. It will be available on NRCS website and at NRCS field offices. After self-screening, the producer's current and proposed conservation practices are entered in the conservation measurement tool (CMT). This tool estimates the level of environmental performance to be achieved by a producer implementing and maintaining conservation activity. The conservation performance estimated by the CMT will be used to rank applications.

NRCS field staff also will conduct on-site field verifications of applicants' information obtained from the CMT. Once the potential participant has been field verified and approved for funding, he or she must develop a conservation stewardship plan.

For information about CSP, including eligibility requirements, producers can visit [www.nrcs.usda.gov/newcsp](http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/newcsp) or visit their local NRCS field office located at 955 Prestonsburg Street, Ste. #2, West Liberty, Ky. You may also contact Marty McCleese at (606) 743-3194.

## Lacy Creek

Sept. 21--Joyce and Dan LeMaster had business in Pikeville Wednesday. While there they did some shopping. Dan and Joyce LeMaster and Nicholas Blackburn attended a fish fry at Lick Branch Church Saturday afternoon. Joyce LeMaster visited with Jewell Young last week. George Robbins visited with the LeMasters on Saturday. Dan LeMaster, Jr. visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lewis. Mr. and Mrs. Dicky Williams were also visiting.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Nickell have been George Robbins, Terry Gibbs, Mr. and Mrs. Roy S. Elam and Darrell and Ella Mae Nickell, Archie and Arkie Williams.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Roe and Shelby have been Kendra Hembree, Hiedi Howard, Terry Gibbs, Jackie Bailey and Jackson.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Nickell have been Archie and Arkie Williams, Bear Brooks, Mark and Heather Johnson, Sharon Haney and Patty Ball. Those attending a birthday dinner for Darrell Nickell Saturday at his home were Dwayne and Amy Nickell and children, Randy and Sonya Nickell and children, Jimmy and Sandy McClure and sons, Freda Gullett and Darrell and Ella Mae.

## WORDS OF WISDOM

Often a greater risk is involved in postponment than in making a wrong decision.  
— H.A. Hopf

## Caney Valley

**By Tracey Barker Hatton**  
Hello again from Caney Valley! I need to clarify the scriptures from last week's column. It was accidentally omitted, and I feel it is very important to stress the scriptures as they are written in God's holy word. Please indulge me as I state these scriptures in regard to marriage:

In Genesis (the first book of the Old Testament) 2:24 (KJV), it is stated: "Therefore shall a man leave his father and his mother and shall cleave unto his wife: and they shall be one flesh."

In Matthew (the first book of the New Testament) 19:5-6 (KJV), Jesus says, "And said, for this cause shall be a man leave father and mother and shall cleave to his wife and they twain shall be one flesh? Wherefore they are no more twain but one flesh. What therefore God hath joined together, let not man put asunder."

Understand marriage is from the Old Testament to the New Testament, from the beginning to the end.

Congratulations to Johnny Havens and his new bride Keisha Cantrell Beculhimer Havens, on their marriage on Sept. 19. Johnny is the son of Everene Havens and the late John Frank Havens Jr. Keisha is the daughter of Alma and Denzil Cantrell. She also has a daughter, Kristen Beculhimer.

The Havens/Beculhimer wedding took place at Zag Community Church, with Jonathan Arnett officiating. Many family and friends attended the ceremony. May God bless this marriage!

Johnny had two sisters from out of town to come in with their husbands for the wedding. Kathy and David Rice, of South Carolina, and Marie and Gary Dillavou, of Georgia.

I don't want to leave anyone out, but it is amazing how God puts people in places they need to be. On my way home from work on Friday evening, I was driving up Hwy. 191, and a woman was waving her hands and flagging me down, saying that someone had wrecked in the Wells Station curve (this is an awful curve). A van had turned over and the woman was inside.

I parked my vehicle, went to the scene and rendered first aid, along with the couples who had stopped me. To make a long story short, the couples were Johnny Havens's sisters and brothers-in-law, whom I later saw at Johnny and Keisha's wedding rehearsal on Friday evening.

I had gone to help my mom deliver the flowers that she had made for the wedding, and to set up the cake table. I thank God for these couples being there and assisting in whatever they could do. The woman in the wreck was alert and had a few scrapes. Please remember her in your prayers.

I do thank God for people in places who want to help and offer assistance, especially this day and time. I want to thank all who helped during the accident the other evening. You know, in stressful and unnerving situations, people come together to help.

In Proverbs 15:3 (KJV), "The eyes of the Lord are every place, beholding the evil and the good." We as a nation need to turn back to God. In Psalms 9:17 (KJV), "The wicked shall be turned into hell, and all the nations that forget God."

The United States needs to turn back to God, to be a prayerful nation, recognizing the true and living God. We need to be a nation that "loves thy neighbor as thyself."

We as a nation exhibited this at one time, when there was an awesomeness of God, a reverent respect, a nation that prayed. On the anniversary of 9/11, eight years ago, a nation did come together through the tragic events that unfolded on that cloudless, sunny morning of Sept. 11, 2001. People were praying and the nation was encouraging prayer. What has happened from that time until now? What has hap-

pened to ONE NATION UNDER GOD?

Psalms 9:20 (KJV) states, "Put them in fear, O Lord., that the nations may know themselves to be BUT MEN."

My prayer for each citizen of this nation that we live in is to turn to God. Turn you own life and heart over to God and become a Heavenly citizen.

In Hebrews 11:13 (KJV), it talks prior to this verse about different patriarchs that died in faith: "These all died in the faith, not having received the promises, but having seen them afar off, and were persuaded of them and embraced them and confessed that they were strangers and pilgrims on the earth."

We had a wonderful homecoming on Sept. 20, at Centerville Community Church. It was well attended, with a Godly message by Bro. Ron Oplinger, as well as food and fellowship.

Jimmy and Francis Barker, of Chesapeake, Ohio, and Ray and Maudie Taulbee, of Georgetown, Ky., came back for the homecoming. They used to attend Centerville. There were many family members and friends who came together for homecoming on Sunday.

Grandparents' Day was celebrated with a luncheon at Morgan Central Elementary School on Sept. 18. Two hundred twenty-eight grandparents registered to have lunch with their grandchildren. There were so many happy and smiling faces from grandparents and grandchildren alike. I appreciate the school and staff that I work with. This is just one of many positive events that go on here at our school. We have a great place to come and work, and to make a difference in a child's life.

I received a call on Sunday afternoon from Genevieve Davis Perkins. She lives in Wabash, Ind., with her husband, Roy. She said she left Morgan County 44 years ago on June 12. She wanted to say hi to all her friends and family who still reside in Morgan County. She is the daughter of Monroe Davis. She said her dad attended school with Hazel Craft. She said she was also in home-makers with my mom and granny.

I hope that everyone will get out and enjoy this year's Sorghum Festival. May God bless you and keep you!

**Happy Birthdays**  
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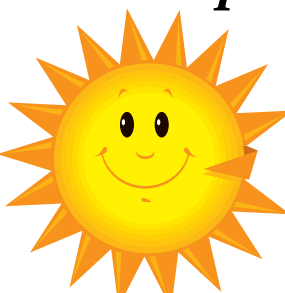
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**Lick Fork Pentecostal Church,** Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Congregation and pastor, Jay B. Lewis, invites all. Everyone welcome.

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**Torrent Church Of God,** 1432 N KY-11, Zachariah, KY. Sunday School, 10:00 am. Sunday morning, 11:00 am, Sunday evening, 6:30 pm. Wednesday Bible Study, 7:00 pm. Rev. Marvin Hobbs, pastor. Everyone welcome.

**Bethany Baptist Church,** War Creek, KY. Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Every Sunday. Every third Saturday of each month Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Rick Pelfrey, pastor.

**Stark United Methodist Church,** Sunday morning 9:30 am. Friday youth group 7:00 pm. Friday adult Bible study 7:00 pm. Warren Vanover, pastor.

**Ezel United Presbyterian Church,** Ezel, KY. 41425, phone 725-4215. Sunday morning 10:00 am. All ages welcome.

**Cannel City First Church Of God,** Cannel City, KY, phone 743-7395. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday evening 6:30 pm. Everyone welcome.

**Zag Community Church,** located 1 mile off KY-519 on KY-976. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday Bible study 7:00 pm. Rev. Donald Cox, pastor. Everyone welcome.

**Index Community Church,** Rt. 1 Box 210, West Liberty, KY 41472 (intersection KY-191 & US-460), phone 743-4733. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday youth hour 6:30 pm. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Wednesday prayer service 7:00 pm. Rev. Mike Frisby, pastor. Eddy Dennison, assistant pastor.

**Sandy Hook United Methodist Church,** Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday Bible study 7:00 pm. Rev. Warren Vanover, pastor. Everyone welcome.

**Red River Community Church,** Hazel Green, KY 41332, phone 662-6947. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Thursday prayer service 7:00 pm. Rev. Charles Glover, pastor.

**Prince Of Peace Catholic Church,** 163 Pine Acres Drive just off Prestonsburg Street, West Liberty. Sunday Mass 9:00 am. Father Frank Brawner, pastor. Phone 743-3266 office; 743-4817 rectory.

**Wells Union Baptist Church,** Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Tuesday Bible study 6:00 pm. Jimmy Tharp, pastor.

**Ophir Enterprise Baptist Church,** approximately 10 miles up KY-1260 off KY-172. Services first Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday School 11:00 am. Bro. Bobby Fultz, pastor. Bro. Ronnie Wright, assistant pastor. Everyone welcome.

**Pleasant Run House Of Prayer,** Yocum, KY. Sunday School 10:30 am. Sunday morning 1:00 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Raymond Barker, pastor. Everyone welcome.

**Sulphur Springs Church,** Crockett, KY. KY-172. Third weekend of each month and all odd weekends. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Bro. Chris Baldwin, pastor. Bro. Bob Williams, assistant pastor. Everyone welcome.

**Pekin Pentecostal Church,** Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday School 10:00 am. Morning worship 11:00 am. Pastor Sammy Vancleave, 743-7255. Everyone invited.

**West Liberty Christian Church,** 304 Prestonsburg St. (corner of Prestonsburg and Court Street), phone (606) 743-4356, parsonage (606) 743-4355. Paul Casteel, minister. Matthew Riley, youth minister. Junior church and wee church 11:00 am. High school and middle school youth group Wednesday evening and Sunday evening 7:00 pm.

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**Ezel First Church Of God,** Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Youth group Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Youth church service third Sunday each month 7:00 pm.

**Stillwater Holiness Church,** 3-1/2 miles north of Campton on KY-191. Thursday evening 7:00 pm. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Patricia Crider, pastor.

**Bear Pen Worship Center,** Sunday morning 10:45 am. Sunday School 6:30 pm. Wednesday evening 6:30 pm. Wednesday youth meeting 6:30 pm. David Spencer, pastor. Phone 668-3351.

**Blaze Community Church,** Services Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday School 5:00 pm. Sunday evening worship 6:00 pm. Pastor Vernon Dale Lewis and congregation invite everyone.

**Calvary Baptist Church,** KY-191, Cannel City, KY. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 5:00 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Harry B. Helton, pastor.

**Campton Baptist Church,** Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Wednesday prayer service 7:00 pm. Pastor Gary Conner. Parsonage phone: 668-3499

**Hazel Green Church Of God,** KY-1010 East, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning and children's church 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Charly Brewer, pastor, wife Wavelene Brewer.

**Concord Enterprise Baptist Church,** KY-32 eight miles west of Sandy Hook. Every fourth Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Every Sunday. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday prayer meeting 7:00 pm. Rev. Ricky Lewis, pastor.

**West Liberty Church Of Christ,** Sunday Bible study 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday Bible study for all ages 7:00 pm. Paul Balch, minister. Phone 743-2132.

**Campton First Church Of God,** Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 10:45 am. Sunday evening 6:30 pm. Wednesday prayer service 7:00 pm.

**Laurel Gorge Enterprise Baptist Church,** Youth services Friday 7:00 pm. Every third Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday prayer meeting 7:00 pm. Rev. Bill Rice, pastor. Virgil F. Gillum, assistant pastor.

**Full Gospel Tabernacle,** Top of Slade Hill where Jesus is Alpha and Omega. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Tuesday evening 7:00 pm. Rev. Ralph Banks, pastor. Everyone welcome.

**Grassy Lick Baptist Church,** Grassy Creek, KY 41352. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:30 pm. Wednesday evening Bible study 7:00 pm. Kenneth Gevedon, pastor. Vernon Stacy, assistant pastor. James Tyra, assistant pastor.

**Quillens Church Of God,** Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Lester Spencer, pastor. Phone 668-6435.

**Abundant Life Full Gospel Church,** 849 Broadway St., West Liberty, KY. Phone 743-1549. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Thursday evening 7:00 pm. Bro. Donnie Wheeler, pastor.

**Murphy Fork Church,** Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday worship 11:00 am. Sunday night 6:00 pm. Thursday night 7:00 pm.

**Haven Of Hope,** 364 Prestonsburg Street, West Liberty, KY 41472. Sunday School, 10:00 am. Sunday worship, 6:00 pm.

**New Beginnings Church of God,** off Hwy 519, Blevins Rd. Phone 606-743-1224. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Thursday 7:00 pm. Pastor Rulford Abner

**Callaboose Community Church,** Off KY-746 near Sandy Hook. Sunday morning 10:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Bro. Burt Combs, pastor.

**West Liberty Mennonite Church,** located off Circle Dr. Wells Hill. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Dirl Fyffe, pastor emeritus. Elder James Fyffe, 743-1567. Elder Steve Stoltzfus, 743-4195.

**New Hope Baptist Church,** Gordon Ford. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:30 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Bro. George Oney, pastor.

**Church Of Free Worship,** Thursday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday School 11:00 am. Sunday morning 12:00 noon. Stanley Rigsby, pastor. Everyone welcome.

**Old 519 Full Gospel Church,** Saturday evening 6:00 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm.

**Tom's Branch Community Church,** KY-772, West Liberty, KY. Sunday morning 11:00 am; Sunday evening Bible Study 7:00 pm; Thursday evening service 7:00 pm; every third Saturday evening fellowship dinner 5:00 pm and church service at 7:00 pm. Everyone welcome. Pastor Jeff Montgomery, Assistant Pastor Woody Bowman.

**White Oak Christian Church Disciples Of Christ,** White Oak, KY 41474, phone 743-4127. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am.

**Ezel Church Of God,** Ezel, KY 41425, phone 725-5721.

**Lee City First Church Of God,** Lee City, KY, phone 662-6221. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Rev. Stanley Burnett, pastor. Everyone welcome.

**Centerville Community Church,** Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Harry Flannery, pastor.

**Vortex Pentecostal Church,** Thursday evening 7:00 pm. Rev. Leonard Cole, pastor.

**Grace Baptist Church,** Malone, KY. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday discipleship training 5:00 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday Bible study 6:00 pm. Bro. Mike Lindon, pastor.

**Redbush Enterprise Baptist Church,** Redbush, KY. Second Saturday evening each month 6:00 pm. Weekly Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm every third Sunday. Bro. Gerald Fyffe, pastor.

**Hope Enterprise Baptist Church,** KY-650, Doctor's Branch, Sandy Hook, KY. Second Saturday evening each month 7:00 pm. Sunday service 11:00 am. Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 pm. Keith Lyon, pastor. Everyone welcome!

**Hilltop Apostolic Church,** KY-7 past Bruin. Tuesday evening 7:00 pm. Thursday morning 10:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Darrell Gallihue, pastor.

**Victory Christian Center,** Elliott County on Blaine's Trace Road. KY. KY-886. Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. David Webb, pastor.

**Sandfield Community Church,** Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday Bible study 6:30 pm. Mike Brooks, pastor. Harold Stamper, assistant pastor.

**Bethany Community Church,** Bethany, KY. Sunday School 9:30 am. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Daniel Wendell, pastor. Phone 668-3703.

**Broadway First Church Of God,** West Liberty, KY 41472, phone 743-3759. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday prayer meeting 6:30 pm. Bro. Jessie Rogers, pastor.

**Lacy Creek Enterprise Baptist Church,** Lacy Creek, KY. Second weekend each month. Saturday evening 6:30 pm. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Every Sunday evening 6:30 pm. Bro. Tim Jenkins, pastor.

**Apostolic Church Of Jesus Christ,** Lytten, KY. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Denzil B. Fannin, pastor. Phone 738-6384.

**Grassy Creek Pentecostal Church,** Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Johnnie Davis, pastor.

**Lacy Creek Church Of Christ,** 2-1/2 miles off US-460 on KY-364, Cottle, KY. Phone 743-2380. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening youth service 6:00 pm. Thursday Bible study 7:00 pm. Jimmy Adkins, pastor. 743-3801. Elder Lawrence Kersey, 743-3291. Elder Dan Hittetpole, 743-3430. Elder Dr. James Frederick.

**Words Of Encouragement Trinity Full Gospel Mission,** Trace Branch, US-460, Magoffin County, Friday evening 7:30 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm.

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**Straight Creek Enterprise Baptist Church,** Big Mandy Road off KY-650. Every third Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Every Sunday morning 11:00 am. Cortis Ison, pastor.

**Countryside Community Church,** KY-134, Johnson Fork. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Tuesday evening 7:00 pm. Bible trivia last Tuesday each month at 7:00 pm. Gospel singing fourth Friday at 7:00 pm. James Hinton, pastor, congregation well all. Phone 349-LORD.

**Kernie Freewill Baptist Church,** KY-134, Johnson Fork. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Butch Whitaker, pastor. Steve Arnett, assistant pastor.

**Wallowhole Independent Baptist Church,** Second Saturday evening each month 7:00 pm. Second Sunday morning each month 10:30 am. Every Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Thursday prayer meeting 7:00 pm.

**Spring Branch Baptist Church,** 100 Spring Branch Rd., Campton, KY 41301. Pastor Ron Lucas, 606-668-9229. Sunday School, 10:00 am, Sunday morning worship, 11:00 am, Sunday night service, 6:00 pm. Wednesday night Bible Study, 7:00 pm.

**Horton Flats Community Baptist Church,** 1.6 miles off KY-7 on KY-3353, Horton Flats Road. Sunday School 9:30 am. Sunday morning 10:30 am.

**Wrigley Baptist Mission,** KY-7, Wrigley, KY. Sunday morning fellowship 9:45 am. Sunday School 10:00 am (classes for every age plus deaf class). Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday Bible study 6:30 pm. Everyone welcome.

**Crossroads Baptist Church,** located at the intersection of Mountain Parkway, KY-191 and KY-205. Sunday School 10:00 am; Worship service 11:00 am; Sunday night worship 6:00 pm. Pastor Ray Fallen. Everyone welcome.

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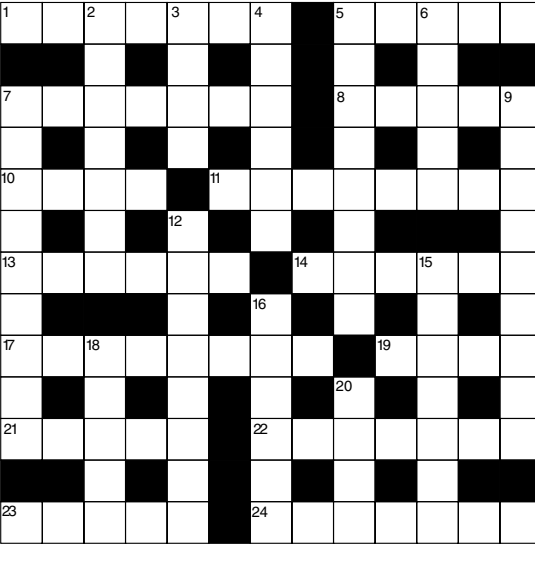
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FRIDAY EVENING September 25											
	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00 11:30
NBC 3	News	NBC	Fortune	Jeo-	Law & Order		Dateline NBC		Jay Leno Show	News	Tonight
CBS 4	News	CBS	Fortune	Jeo-	Ghost Whisperer		Medium		NUMB3RS	News	Late
ABC 6	News	ABC	Enter-	Office	FlashForward		Family	Cougar	20/20	News	Night-
PBS 7	BBC	Busi-	News-Lehrer	Com-	Group		Wash	NOW	Bill Moyers	BBC	Ky Life
NBC 8	News	NBC	Inside	Holly-	Law & Order		Dateline NBC		Jay Leno Show	News	Tonight
WGN 9	Becker	Becker	Home Videos		★½ Jurassic Park III (2001)				WGN News	Scrubs	Scrubs
FOX 11	Deal No	Deal No	Two	Two	Brothers		Dollhouse		News	Simp-	Fam
CBS 12	News	CBS	War Revival		Ghost Whisperer		Medium		NUMB3RS	News	Sports
TBS 13	Seinfeld	Office			MLB Baseball: Boston Red Sox at New York Yankees				★ Spider-Man (2002)		
ENC 14	Step Up	★½ Bubble Boy (2001)			★½ Die Hard (1988)				Nutty Professor II: The Klumps		
FAM 15	Fresh Pr	Fresh Pr	Home Videos		Home Videos		America's Funniest Home Videos		The 700 Club		
LIFE 16	Grey's Anatomy		Medium		Medium		Project Runway		Project Runway	Models	Will
A&E 17	CSI: Miami		Criminal Minds		Criminal Minds		Criminal Minds		Criminal Minds	CSI: Miami	
SHOW 19	Inside the NFL		★ The Bank Job (2008)				★ Good Luck Chuck (2007)		Dexter	Strikeforce Ch.	
DISN 20	Phineas	Phineas	Phineas	Phineas	Phineas		Meet the Robinsons		Phineas	Phineas	Raven
MAX 21	★½ 10,000 B.C. (2008)				★½ RocknRolla (2008)				★ Live Free or Die Hard (2007)		
HBO 22	★ The Bucket List (2007)				★ Death Race (2008)				Real Time		Real Time
AMC 24	★ Top Gun (1986) Cont'd				★ Ghostbusters (1984)				Ghostbusters II		
USA 25	NCIS		NCIS		NCIS		Monk		Psych		Law Order: CI
DSC 26	Cash	Cash	Swords: Life		Swords: Life		Swords: Life		Swords: Life		Swords: Life
ESPN 27	SportsCenter			NFL	Football Live		College Football: Missouri at Nevada				
TNT 32	NUMB3RS		CSI: NY		CSI: NY		★ Remember the Titans (2000)			Remember-Tins	
SYFY 33	Stargate SG-1		Stargate SG-1		Stargate SG-1		Stargate SG-1		Stargate SG-1		Stargate SG-1

SATURDAY EVENING September 26											
	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00 11:30
NBC 3	News	NBC	Fortune	Cash	Law & Order		Mercy		Law & Order: SVU	News	SNL
CBS 4	College Football		Fortune	Jeo-	CSI: Crime Son		The Good Wife		48 Hours Mystery	News	Paid
ABC 6	Football		News	Office	College Football: Teams TBA						WWE
PBS 7	Lawrence Welk	Louis-	Red		Ky Life	Ken-	★½ The Revengers (1972)			Austin City	
NBC 8	News	NBC	Storms	Paid	Law & Order		Mercy		Law & Order: SVU	News	SNL
WGN 9	Home Videos		Boston Legal		★ Police Academy (1984)				WGN News	Scrubs	Scrubs
FOX 11	MLB Baseball	Two	Two	Cops	Cops		Most Wanted		News	Spike Feresten	
CBS 12	College Football	King	Griffith		CSI: Crime Son		The Good Wife		48 Hours Mystery	News	Paid
TBS 13	Fam	Fam	★ Old School (2003)				★ Wedding Crashers (2005)				
ENC 14	The Shawshank Redemption				★ Misery (1990)				Children of the Corn		Carrie
FAM 15	Home Videos		Home Videos		Home Videos		Home Videos		Home Videos	Down Periscope	
LIFE 16	Fatal Desire		The Bad Son (2007)				Homecoming (2009)			Project Runway	
A&E 17	CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami	The Sopranos	
SHOW 19	Lower Learning		Inside the NFL		★½ The Mist (2007)				★ Halloween (2007)		
DISN 20	Suite	Suite	Finding Nemo				★ Happy Feet (2006)			Phineas	Wizards
MAX 21	Harry Potter-Phoenix				★ Miss Congeniality (2000)				★ Choke (2008)		Lingerie
HBO 22	★½ Vertical Limit (2000) Cont'd				★½ Wanted (2008)				Boxing: Arreola vs. Kilschko		
AMC 24	Dances With Wolves				★½ Wyatt Earp (1994)						
USA 25	Law Order: CI		Law Order: CI		Law Order: CI		Law Order: CI		Law Order: CI	Psych	
DSC 26	Dirty Jobs		Dirty Jobs		Dirty Jobs		Dirty Jobs		Dirty Jobs		Dirty Jobs
ESPN 27	Football	Score	Happy Hour		College Football: Teams TBA					SportsCenter	
TNT 32	★ Lethal Weapon 4 (1998) Cont'd				★½ Gone in Sixty Seconds (2000)				★ The Rock (1996)		
SYFY 33	Children-Corn		★½ Final Destination 2 (2003)				Children of the Corn (2009)			Interview-Vamp	

SUNDAY EVENING September 27											
	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00 11:30
NBC 3	News	NBC	Football Night		NFL Football: Indianapolis Colts at Arizona Cardinals						News
CBS 4	NFL Football		60 Minutes		The Amazing Race 15				Cold Case		News
ABC 6	ABC	News	Extreme-Home		Extreme-Home		Housewives		Brothers & Sisters		News
PBS 7	Work-	Garden	Vicar	Summer	National Parks: America				Killer Stress		America
NBC 8	News	NBC	Football Night		NFL Football: Indianapolis Colts at Arizona Cardinals						News
WGN 9	MLB Baseball	Smash	Smash		Newhart	Newhart	Bar-	Bar-	News	Replay	Cheers
FOX 11	NFL Football	Brothers			Simp-	Cleve-	Fam	Amer	News	Paid	Motor
CBS 12	NFL Football	60 Minutes			The Amazing Race 15				Cold Case		News
TBS 13	★½ The Goonies (1985)				★ The Wizard of Oz (1939)				★½ The Goonies (1985)		
ENC 14	★½ Phenomenon (1996) Cont'd				★ From Dusk Till Dawn (1996)				★ Broken Arrow (1996)		Old
FAM 15	★ The Mask (1994) Cont'd				Home Alone 2: Lost in New York				Home Videos		Whose?
LIFE 16	Homecoming		To Be Fat Like Me (2007)				Drop Dead Diva		Army Wives		Drop Dead Diva
A&E 17	CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		Criminal Minds		Criminal Minds		Criminal Minds		CSI: Miami
SHOW 19	A Mighty Heart				Dexter		Dexter		Californ	Californ	Dexter
DISN 20	Jonas	Jonas	Jonas	Mon-	Sonny	Jonas	★ Spy Kids (2001)		Wizards	Wizards	Mon-
MAX 21	Boom-		Sleeping With the Enemy		★½ Choke (2008)				★½ Swordfish (2001)		Zane
HBO 22	The Invasion				★½ 27 Dresses (2008)		Curb	Bored	Curb	Entour-	Entour-
AMC 24	Ocean's Twelve		★ GoodFellas (1990)						Mad Men		Mad Men
USA 25	50 First Dates		NCIS		NCIS		NCIS		NCIS		NCIS
DSC 26	MythBusters		MythBusters		Raging Planet		Raging Planet		Raging Planet		Raging Planet
ESPN 27	Table Tennis		SportsCenter				MLB Baseball: Red Sox at Yankees				SportsCenter
TNT 32	★½ Gone in Sixty Seconds (2000)				★ Independence Day (1996)						Independence
SYFY 33	Total Recall		★ Ultraviolet (2006)				Resident Evil: Apocalypse				Lawnmow Man

MONDAY EVENING September 28											
	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00 11:30
NBC 3	News	NBC	Fortune	Jeo-	Heroes		Trauma		Jay Leno Show	News	Tonight
CBS 4	News	CBS	Fortune	Jeo-	Mother	Purpose	Two	Big	CSI: Miami	News	Late
ABC 6	News	ABC	Enter-	Office	Dancing With the Stars				Castle	News	Night-
PBS 7	BBC	Busi-	News-Lehrer		The National Parks: America's Best Idea				Trek	BBC	Ky Life
NBC 8	News	NBC	Inside	Holly-	Heroes		Trauma		Jay Leno Show	News	Tonight
WGN 9	Becker	Becker	Home Videos		Home Videos		Home Videos		WGN News	Scrubs	Scrubs
FOX 11	Deal No	Deal No	Two	Two	House		Lie to Me		News	Simp-	Fam
CBS 12	News	CBS	Issues	King	Mother	Purpose	Two	Big	CSI: Miami	News	Late
TBS 13	Seinfeld	Office	Name	Name	Fam	Fam	Fam	Fam	Fam	Name	Name
ENC 14	Tre-	★ The Crush (1993)			10 Things I Hate				★ Spider-Man 3 (2007)		
FAM 15	Fresh Pr	Fresh Pr	70s	70s	Lincoln Heights		Greek		Home Videos		The 700 Club
LIFE 16	Grey's Anatomy		Medium		Medium		Army Wives		Drop Dead Diva	Will	Will
A&E 17	CSI: Miami		Criminal Minds		Intervention		Intervention		Hoarders	Para-	Para-
SHOW 19	Witness Protection				Lions for Lambs		Dexter		Californ	Californ	Dexter
DISN 20	Phineas	Mon-	Wizards	Suite	★ Jungle 2 Jungle (1997)		Phineas	Mon-	Wizards	Raven	
MAX 21	★ American Gangster (2007)				★½ Fool's Gold (2008)				★½ Choke (2008)		Sex
HBO 22	The Secret Life of Bees				★½ Under the Tuscan Sun (2003)				Couples	Boxing: Arreola	
AMC 24	★½ Mystic River (2003) Cont'd				★½ Real Time				Mad Men		
USA 25	NCIS		NCIS		NCIS		WWE Monday Night Raw			Com-	Com-
DSC 26	Cash	Cash	Man vs. Wild		Man vs. Wild		County Jail		Machine-Malice	Man vs. Wild	
ESPN 27	SportsCenter		Monday Night Countdown		NFL Football: Carolina Panthers at Dallas Cowboys						Sports-
TNT 32	Bones		Bones		Bones		The Closer		The Closer	Raising the Bar	
SYFY 33	Stargate SG-1		Ghost Whisperer		Ghost Whisperer		Ghost Whisperer		Ghost Whisperer		Street Fighter

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NBC 3	News	NBC	Fortune	Jeo-	The Biggest Loser				Jay Leno Show	News	Tonight		
CBS 4	News	CBS	Fortune	Jeo-	NCIS		NCIS: LA		The Good Wife	News	Late		
ABC 6	News	ABC	Enter-	Office	Shark Tank		Dancing-Stars		the forgotten	News	Night-		
PBS 7	BBC	Busi-	News-Lehrer		National Parks: America				Globe Trekker	BBC	Ky Life		
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ENC 14	Amer-	** Beethoven (1992)			** Vantage Point (2008)			*** Kiss of Death (1995)			Scream		
FAM 15	Fresh Pr	Fresh Pr	70s	70s	Home Videos		Home Videos		Home Videos		The 700 Club		
LIFE 16	Grey's Anatomy		Medium		Medium		Medium		Medium		Will	Will	
A&E 17	CSI: Miami		Criminal Minds		The First 48		Man-	Man-	Man-	Man-	Man-	Man-	
SHOW 19	Live	*** I Witness (2003)			** The Eye (2008)				Dexter		Californ	Californ	
DISN 20	Phineas	Mon-	Wizards	Suite	Agent Cody Banks 2			Phineas	Phineas	Mon-	Wizards	Raven	
MAX 21	American Outlaws			**** The Dark Knight (2008)			*** Body of Lies (2008)						
HBO 22	** Meet Dave (2008)			Curb	REAL Sports		*** Wanted (2008)				Entour-	Curb	
AMC 24	*** Meet Under the Tuscan Sun (2003)				*** Any Given Sunday (1999)								Kiss
USA 25	NCIS		NCIS		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law Order: CI		
OSC 26	Swords: Life		Swords: Life		Swords: Life		Swords: Life		Deadliest Catch		Swords: Life		
ESPN 27	SportsCenter				NFL	World Series		World Series		Baseball Tonight		SportsCenter	
TNT 32	Bones		Bones		Bones		Bones		HawthoRne		Saving Grace		
SYFY 33	Stargate SG-1		Warehouse 13		Warehouse 13		Warehouse 13		ECW		I Am Omega		



# COURIER SPORTS

## Cougars take on Leslie County in Sorghum Bowl

By David Patrick

Morgan County will take the field Friday night looking to end a 14-year Sorghum Bowl losing streak as the Cougars play host to Leslie County at Herdman Field.

It will mark yet another contrast of styles with Morgan's ball-controlled, double-wing offense going up against the Eagles' spread-the-field passing game. Coach Brian Turner likes his team's chances to get its second win of the season Friday.

"We're looking forward to ending another losing streak," Turner said on Tuesday. "If we'd taken care of the football, we could be 3-1 right now. Our guys

are ready to line up Friday night and give it another shot. And we feel we're good enough to get a win."

Morgan will have to play without quarterback Jared Curd, who broke his right thumb during a tackling drill this week. This comes after Curd recovered from a broken left thumb suffered during the pre-season. But there is a bit of good news with the expected return of Mitchell Harvey, who sustained an ankle injury in the loss to Magoffin County.

It's obviously a plus to get Mitchell back," said the Cougar head coach. "Our only concern is with his conditioning and how quickly he can get up to game

speed."

Folks attending the Sorghum Bowl should plan to get there a little early. MCHS will honor its 1987 team during pre-game ceremonies set at 7:05 p.m. It was 22 years ago that the team began the season at 0-4 before beating an undefeated Whitesburg team on the road in triple overtime. It was the first of six straight wins for Morgan as the team closed out its first winning campaign in four years.

And speaking of winning, the Cougars' junior varsity, freshman, and middle school teams all remain undefeated. The junior varsity team scored wins over East Ridge and Estill County last weekend.



### EKCC Pistol Team takes top honors

From left to right, the 2009 EKCC Pistol Team is comprised of Ben Howard, Edgar Manning, Matthew Lindon, Shane Nickell and Mike Helton. In addition to winning back the Silver KCCD traveling cup for first place team, team member Edgar Manning won the Top Gun Award for best overall shot and the first place individual trophy. Ben Howard also won third place Individual. This makes the 10th time EKCC has won first place team honors in the last 20 years against the state's other correctional facilities and numerous law enforcement agencies throughout the state. Second place team in 2009 went to Louisville Metro, with Little Sandy Correctional Complex in Elliott County picking up third place team honors.

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### Girls golfers win three while losing one in recent play

Morgan County High's lady golfers beat three teams while losing one in recent play to run their season reason to 17-8. Along the way, three fifth graders — Shelby Gevedon, Madison, and Abby Motley — contributing to one win by placing in a match with Wolfe County.

On September 14, at Estill County's course, Morgan lost to Estill County but beat Berea. The score was Estill. 219; Morgan, 249; Berea, 301. Lindsay Pelfrey continued to lead Morgan with a 56, followed by Teretha Cole, 62; Danielle Clark, 64; Emily Cole, 67; Morgan Markwell, 68, and Brittany Hutchinson, 79.

On Sept. 15, Morgan beat Wolfe County, 230-266, at PVCC. Morgan Markwell shot a 51, followed by Lindsay Pelfrey, 56; Danielle Clark, 60; Brittany Hutchinson, 63; Shelby Gevedon (fifth grader), 63; Ashley Buckler, 65; Emily Cole, 67; Abby Manley (fifth grader), 69, and Madison Cline (fifth grader), 70.

And on Sept. 16, the girls defeated Fleming County, 236-252 with Lindsay Pelfrey leading the way with a 52, followed by Danielle Clark and Morgan

### 1987 team to be recognized at Sorghum Bowl

The Morgan County High School Athletics Department will recognize the 1987 Morgan County High School Football Team prior to the kickoff of the Sorghum Bowl game between Morgan County and Leslie County on Friday, September 25 at Herdman Field. The special ceremony will recognize all players, managers, and coaches from the school's first-ever playoff team, who are encouraged to arrive at Herdman Field by 6:45 p.m. on Sept. 25. For more information, contact Athletic Director Chris Trusty at 743-8052 or Jeff Brown at 743-8052 or 743-4260.

Markwell, each with 58, and Brittany Hutchinson, 68.

With the team's younger players beginning to contribute, Coach Darrell Bradley said he foresees a bright future for MCHS golf.

Also boding well for high school golf was a decision by the PVCC board of directors to allow youngsters to play at the course free of charge on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays. To avail themselves of the free play, youngsters must sign up with the high school's golf coaches and agree to participate in the high school golf program.

Bradley said the PVCC board and the Board of Education deserve a pat on the back for agreeing to the arrangement.

### Girls win Founders Day Race, boys take second at Magoffin

On September 9, the Morgan County High School Cross Country Team participated in the Founders Day road race in Magoffin County, along with Johnson and Magoffin counties. Both the boys and girls were defending their Founders Day title from a year ago.

The girls succeeded in placing first in the race but the boys came in second behind Johnson Central.

Out of 29 boys participating in the race, Taylor Young 3rd place with a time of 21:19; Cory Harper, 5th place with a time of 21:35; Ryan Linkous, 8th place with a time of 22:35; Cory Murphy, 9th place with a time of 22:42; Joe Holbrook, 13th place with a time of 23:22; Walker Crase, 15th place with a time of 24:25; Ryan Steele, 18th place with a time of 25:09, and Josh Lane, 26th place with a time of 34:45.

For the girls, Lindsay Fugate came in 2nd place with a time of 23:40; Haley Wilson, 3rd place with a time of 25:05; Kim Hutchinson, 5th place with a time of 26:39; Jessica Crase, 8th place with a time of 27:25; Amanda Cornett, 9th place with a time of 27:26.

Congratulations to both the boys and girls for their hard work!

Come out Sorghum Festival Saturday for the 3rd Annual Sorghum Run. MCHS is hosting an Open 3k at 8:00 a.m. for anyone who wants to run (running on trails), and then at 9:15, the high school girls will run, followed by high school boys, middle school girls and boys, and the elementary girls and boys.

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May my eyes be alert as I look around  
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That the trophy buck will take  
And my bow be ever ready  
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My hunting days are through  
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### Team Extreme members compete in grappling divisions of Sterling Classic

Four members of Williams Karate MMA/Grappling team competed in the grappling portion of the Sterling Classic, in Mt. Sterling, on August 29th and represented the team in a dominating style. Bill Conley placed first in the light weight under 18, and Chance Lykins took third in that division; Mitchell Conley won the over 18 middle weight division; Tim Wright placed second the over 18 - 185 pound division and lost in sudden death overtime against an opponent almost 100 pounds heavier, and Chance Lykins stepped up to the over 18 lightweight division and won first place. Tim Wright, Bill Conley, and Chance Lykins were also scheduled to compete in the Kentucky Fighting Challenge, in Lexington, on September 12. Wright won an MMA match by forfeit and Lykins won his grappling contest by forfeit as well. Bill Conley won his grappling match less than one minute into the contest by a submission choke.

## Will run 2nd marathon in honor of local cancer victim

Amberlee Nickell has been motivated by the unwavering courage and strength of the Montgomery family and is training for her second marathon to run in honor of Adam Montgomery and others who are battling with cancer or who have lost their battle.

In early June, Nickell set her focus on the Nike Women's Marathon to be run in San Francisco, California, on October 18. She began running with Team in Training, which is the world's largest charity sports program that raises funds to support the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society (LLS). By raising funds for blood cancer research, education and patient services, Team in Training strives to fulfill the LLS's mission: Cure leukemia, Hodgkin's disease and myeloma, and improve the quality of life of patients and their families.

At 26.2 miles, running a marathon is no easy task. Running from downtown Index, south on Highway 191 to Adle, then following Highway 205 until it intersects with Highway 460 going back to Index! Running from Courthouse Square in West Liberty to the Rowan County Court-



Amberlee Nickell

house is not quite 26 miles! To make a donation in support of Amberlee's endeavor in honor of Adam Montgomery, or anyone affected by LLS, you can visit <http://pages.teamtraining.org/ky/nikesf09/anickell>. Amberlee is the daughter of David Wayne and Linda Nickell.

## Grand Prix Table Tennis Legend holds title vs. Fyffe; Howard wins Pride Title

The September 16 Wednesday Round Robin featured an electric night of table tennis action as three new champions were crowned, and GPTT drew 16 players back to back for the first time in nearly seven years. GPTT Champion "The Legend" Byron Risner retained his title from Mikie Fyffe going 27-0 in match sets for the year. Fyffe won the Group A over 1000 Round Robin going 8-0 to earn the shot.

Pride Champion Johnathon Howard, who has held the title for four weeks, lost to Greg Howard, who claimed his 12th Pride Title adding to his legacy. Greg earned the shot by being the runner-up in the Round Robin Group A tournament.

In the under 1000 Round Robin, Billy Howard won Group B, while Ryan McCarty won Group C. Billy defeated Ryan to win a shot at Challenge Champion Tyler McNish. Their instant classic match saw Billy win his first Challenge Title, and in the automatic rematch Tyler reclaimed the title to become a two-time Challenge Champion.

Johnathon Howard and Mikie Fyffe beat 17-time Doubles Champions "The Rock" Steve Patrick and "The Legend" Byron Risner in a rematch from last week. They will rematch again at the 18th Anniversary Bash in a best of five series. "The Rock" wants to become known as the greatest GPTT Doubles Player ever, that is my goal. And I will get it," says Patrick.

Next week is the 18th Anniversary Bash, and GPTT is going to have a memorable birthday with the huge event we have planned. All titles will be defended prior to a special event tournament, which will be part of our special events from now on. GPTT Champion The Legend will take on Johnathon Howard for the GPTT Championship in a best of seven series. Howard had the best overall record for the month of September, hence his title match. Pride Champion Greg Howard will play against Mikie Fyffe for the #1 spot in the Top 10. Doubles Champions Mikie Fyffe and Johnathon

Howard will rematch former champions The Rock and The Legend in a best of five series. Tyler McNish will take on Billy Howard in a rematch of last week's classic Challenge series. Then we will have a special 18th Anniversary Bash tournament, which will award first through third place trophies in the open event.

Then there will be a tournament for the Under 1000 division, which will also award first through third place trophies. All under 1000 players may participate in the open tournament. All new players will have a rating sanctioned match and will play each other for play in positions.

Please call us at 606-662-6332 or e-mail us at [gptt1@yahoo.com](mailto:gptt1@yahoo.com) for more information.

Round Robin Group C: Ryan McCarty def. Wesley Howard 11-6, 9-11, 11-8  
Josh Frisby def. Matt Frisby 11-9, 11-8  
Ryan McCarty def. Josh Frisby 11-7, 5-11, 11-4  
Wesley Howard def. Matt Frisby 11-8, 11-9  
Wesley Howard def. Josh Frisby 11-7, 7-11, 14-12  
12 Ryan McCarty def. Matt Frisby 11-6, 12-10  
Ryan Wins Group C (6-2)  
Round Robin Group B Results:  
Billy Howard def. Derek Howard 11-5, 11-5  
Derek Howard def. Gabe Bailey 8-11, 11-6, 11-11  
3 Gabe Bailey def. Billy Howard 11-6, 11-7  
Billy Howard wins Group C (6-0)  
Billy Howard def. Ryan b McCarty 11-8, 11-11, 11-8  
Challenge Title Match:  
Match 1: Billy Howard def. Tyler McNish 11-5, 11-5 (new champion)  
Match 2:  
Tyler McNish def. Billy Howard 13-11, 10-12, 13-11 (new champion)  
Group A Elite Round Robin  
Mikie Fyffe def. Langley Franklin 11-8, 11-8  
Langley Franklin def. Steve Patrick 11-6, 11-7  
Greg Howard def. Tyler McNish 11-5, 11-5  
Langley Franklin def. Tyler McNish 11-6, 9-11, 11-9  
11-9 Mikie Fyffe def. Greg Howard 11-9, 12-10  
Greg Howard def. Steve Patrick 11-5, 11-6  
Mikie Fyffe def. Tyler McNish 11-2, 12-10  
Greg Howard def. Langley Franklin 11-2, 11-5  
Mikie Fyffe def. Steve Patrick 13-11, 15-13  
Winner Group A: Mikie Fyffe 8-0  
Group A Runner Up: Greg Howard 6-2  
GPTT Pride Championship (3-5)  
Greg Howard def. Johnathon Howard 9-11, 8-11, 11-7, 12-10, 11-9  
GPTT Champion Byron Risner def. Mikie Fyffe 11-3, 11-8, 11-1, 11-4  
TOP 10 RANKINGS (UNTIL Sept. 23, 2009)  
GPTT Champion: Byron Risner 90-22 15751  
Pride Champion: Greg Howard 47-32 / 14002  
Johnathon Howard 42-18 / 1429 (1) 3. Mikie Fyffe 51-46 / 1447 (2) 4. Langley Franklin 35-32 / 1325 (7) 5. Steve Patrick 41-34 / 988 (10) 6. Challenge Champion: Tyler McNish 21-10 / 793 (nr) 7. Junior Gullett 21-8 / 1439 (nr) 8. Billy Howard 18-11 / 855 (nr) 9. Ryan McCarty 12-7 / 761 (nr) 10. Josh Frisby 43-37 / 731 (nr) DOUBLES 1. Champions: Mikie Fyffe and Johnathon Howard 3-32. Steve Patrick and Byron Risner 40-273. Ryan McCarty & Billy Howard 3-24. Greg Howard and Langley Franklin 3-55. Gabe Bailey and Josh Frisby 4-76. Derek Howard and Tyler McNish 2-27. Matt Frisby and Wesley Howard 0-2.

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ATHLETES OF THE WEEK

Walker Crase & Joe Holbrook

MCHS Boys' Football Team:

Walker Crase and Joe Holbrook were recently selected as the offensive and defensive players of the game, respectively, in the JV Double Wing Pride Bowl. Joe Holbrook led the high-powered rushing attack, and Walker Crase was stellar on defense as the Cougars won convincingly over the two visiting schools, East Ridge and Estill Co. These two young men are an integral part of the resurging Morgan Co. football team. As freshman, they both play significant minutes on the varsity team, as well as their duties on the freshman and JV teams. Congrats to Joe, Walker, and their team for the great win, Saturday, and for being undefeated at this point in the season, at the JV and freshman levels.



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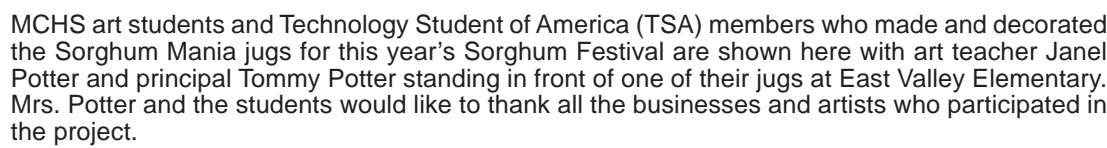


Morgan County Woman's Club President Brenda Jones is grinning ear to ear as she accepts a check from Morgan County Judge Executive Tim Conley. The grant money of \$22,500 came from the LGEDF (Morgan County Coal Severance Fund) and was voted on by the Judge and the Magistrates to be used for the Women's Memorial being placed in the Kiwanis Tredway Park. The dedication and unveiling of this Memorial will be November 7, 2009, at 11 a.m. Officials from Washington DC and all over the country will be attending this event as this memorial is one of three of this kind in the whole United States. It has been a great undertaking for the ladies of the Woman's Club as a Community Improvement Project and couldn't have been possible without donations from local businesses and purchases of memorial bricks. Please see a Woman's Club member to purchase an honor brick for any service man or woman. These bricks will be a memorial for years to come to the testimony of the dedication our families gave to their country so we can have freedom. Executive Board President Brenda Jones, Vice President Mary Alice Oldfield, Recording Secretary Bridget Murphy, Corresponding Secretary Tami Adkins, Treasurer Wilma Ison, Historian Linda Gevedon, Veterans Chairman Emily Elam and club members thank Judge Conley and the Morgan County Fiscal Court for this generous donation.

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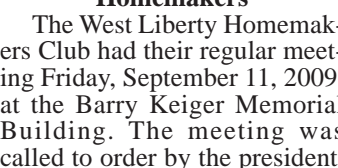
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Pecan orders are due by October 15th. Anyone wanting to order pecans can contact Norma Smith. We need to sell pecans for our scholarship. Please get your orders in as soon as possible. All business was taken care of.

The next meeting will be October 9 at the Barry Keiger Memorial Building with all members serving as hostess.

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